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LEADERS FOR CAMPAIGN APPOINTED BY CHAIRMAN

Republican County Committee Preparing for Fight

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Conferees Will be Named to Nominate Successor to Mr. Tener

Chairman J. Frank McClay of the Republican county committee announced the personnel of his executive committee Saturday. Much interest attaches to the appointments, in view of the fact that the committee will be called upon to select six conferees to help make a nomination for Congress in the district to fill the vacancy that will occur by reason of John K. Tener's nomination for Governor The committee and officers are as follows:

Officers—J. Frank McClay, chairman, Washington; O. M. Henderson, secretary, Washington; Geo. E. Lockhart, treasurer, Claysville R. D.

Assistant Secretaries—Joseph K. Weir, Washington; W. D. Hancher, Claysville.

Executive Committee—Charles F. Thompson, Charleroi; James Grimes, Claysville; James P. Eagleson, Washington, Canton; Theodore Straub, Canonsburg; David Glunt, Charleroi; T. C. Morrison, Donora; Henry Mesta, Finleyville; W. F. Kline, Independence township, Independence; F. A. Thomassey, McDonald; Albert Gregg, Monongahela; O. C. Underwood, Washington; Mark T. Wolf, Washington; Jos. T. Hemphill, Washington; I. W. Baum, Washington; Dr. T. F. Cashman, Washington.

ENGAGEMENT OF FORMER ROSCOE BOY ANNOUNCED

Rae Furlong, Annapolis Graduate, Will be Married in West

At a dinner given recently to the U. S. S. Maryland, at San Francisco, announcement was made of the engagement of Miss Cora Wainwright Glover of Tacoma and William Rea Furlong of Roscoe, this county, the wedding to take place in Tacoma this month. Mr. Furlong was graduated from Annapolis in 1905, representing the Twenty-fourth congressional district, and his bride to be has taught two years at Fairbanks, Alaska.

LUTHERANS WIN FROM THE ALL STARS

The Lutherans defeated the Char-Charleroi All Stars Saturday afternoon at the baseball park, by a score of 7 to 6. The score:

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Lutherans	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	x—7	8	2
All Stars.	0	1	1	0	0	4	0	0	0—6	10	6

Batteries—Lutherans, Patrich and Mason; All Stars—Kearnes and McGuire. Umpire—Hott.

Lutherans Will Picnic Thursday

Sunday School Will Hold Annual Outing at Beechwood Park

The annual outing of the Sunday school of Christ Lutheran church will be held Thursday of this week at Beechwood park, and it is expected that weather permitting it will be one of the biggest affairs of the kind ever held by this body. No special program has been prepared for the day.

CHANDLER WILL COME IN AUGUST

Irving Brown in Charge of Plate Glass Factory Now

GOING TO CRYSTAL CITY

The local plant of the Pittsburg Plate Glass works is in charge of Irving Brown at the present time, previous to the arrival of the new superintendent, A. Hart Chandler, who will come from Crystal City, Mo., where he is now located some time in August. R. O. Stilwell, who was recently notified of his transfer from the Charleroi plant to the Crystal City factory, is now enjoying a vacation at Mackinac and will take charge at Crystal City in a few days.

Upon the arrival here of Mr. Chandler, Mr. Brown will leave for Crystal City, where he will be the assistant superintendent of that plant under Mr. Stillwell. He came here at the same time the later did from Tarentum, where they worked together.

F. McCann and F. T. Barclay Saturday afternoon before Judge Taylor plead guilty to the charge of entering a freight car, used as a freight house at Elrama, and carrying away some goods. The defendants were directed to pay the costs, a fine of $10 and undergo imprisonment in the county jail for 30 days.

DONORA ATHLETIC CLUB TO GIVE SECOND DANCE

The Donora Atletic Club has issued invitations for their second midsummer dance, to be given at Eldora Park on July 21. The committee in charge is composed of Thomas Whitledge, Frank Clark, Frank O'Donnell, C. Gallatin, E. S. Doutt, Ben G. Binns and L. C. Claybaugh, Jr.

Passed Sixth Milestone

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gaskill entertained a number of the young friends of their daughter Grace Saturday afternoon in honor of her sixth birthday. A pleasant time was spent by the young folks with games of a various nature. Refreshments were served.

FELL'S ANNIVERSARY SERVICES AT CLOSE

Nearly All Day Program Snnday at Webster Denomination in Celebration of 125 Years of History

With practically all-day services, the celebration of the 125th anniversary of Fell's Methodist Episcopal church in Rostraver township near Webster, Westmoreland county, closed Sunday. The anniversary exercises began last Thursday evening with preaching by the Rev. Judson Jeffreys of Wilmerding, a former pastor. On Friday and Saturday evenings former pastors spoke.

Of special interest was the program today which included a sermon in the morning by Bishop David H. Moore of Cincinnati, followed by several hours of social intercourse, with dinners at long tables specially erected. A platform meeting was held at 2:30 o'clock that afternoon, with addresses by former pastors and a history of the congregation by the Rev. Dr. Benjamin Fell Beazell, pastor of the Lemington Avenue church of Pittsburg. At the closing meeting in the evening a sermon was preached by the Rev. Dr John J. Wallace, editor of the Pittsburg Christian Advocate.

Hundreds living within a radius of 25 miles arrived at the old churchs in the morning bringing basket luncheon an spent the day. The arrangements for the anniversary celebration were in charge of the present pastor, the Rev. Daniel M. Paul.

RETIRED RIVERMAN DIES SUDDENLY AT HIS HOME NEAR WEST ELIZABETH

Isaac Pangburn Succumbs to Illness of Twelve Days Duration---Was Well Known Along the Valley

Isaac G. Pangburn, 46 years old, and one of the best known retired steamboat men along the valley, died at his home in Jefferson near West Elizabeth Sunday morning at 12:30 o'clock, after a brief illness of pluro-pneumonia. He had been ill but 12 days and death came most unexpectedly. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock from the late residence and interment will be in Richland cemetery at Dravosburg.

Besides the widow, four children survive, Samuel a steamboat engineer, Miss Blanche a nurse in the Mercy hospital at Pittsburg, George and Anna at home. The father, Samuel Pangburn, who resides at Webster, two sisters, Mrs. Flora Davidson of Third street, Charleroi, and Mrs. Walter Speers of Webster survive, and one brother, Walter Pangburn of North Charleroi.

The deceased was formerly employed as a steamboat engineer, but retired seven years ago, when he became a real estate dealer. The blow comes as an especially hard one to the father, who is 81 years old. This is the first one of his sons or daughters to die.

BROTHER OF LOCAL MAN DIES AT HOME SUDDENLY SUNDAY

J. G. Whitlatch, Well Known Here, Succumbs to Hemorrhage

J. G. Whitlatch, 62 years old, a brother of J. M. Whitlatch of Charleroi, died very suddenly at his home in Verona, yesterday afternoon from a hemorrhage with which he was seized shortly after dinner. The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon and interment will be in Oakmont cemetery.

Mr. Whitlatch had seemingly been in the best of health the entire day, and had eaten a healthy dinner, having as guests Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Whitlatch, and daughter Dorothy of Charleroi and Mrs. A. B. Cummings, who has been visiting there. After the meal the company gathered in the parlor for some music, and then retired to the front porch. After chatting some time reminiscently, Mr. Whitlatch remarked that he would go up stairs to lie down a moment. He started for his room being accompanied by his wife, but when about half way up was seized with the hemorrhage. Mrs. Whitlatch placed him on a couch and summoned a physician, but almost before he could arrive the man was dead, dying in the arms of his nephew, D. C. Whitlatch.

He is survived by his widow, and the following brothers and sisters, J. C., New England, W. Va. William P., Verona; J. M., Charleroi and M. C. Whitlatch, Moundsville, W. Va., and Mrs. Mollie Magee, Glenville, W. Va., and Mrs. Anna Shepler of Pittsburg. Miss Orma Whitlatch a niece who lived with the family also survived. The deceased had two weeks ago been retired on a pension from the tool shops at Verona of the Allegheny Railroad company by whom he had been employed for many years. He was the oldest employe of the company at that time.

Mrs. N. Anderson of Monongahela was visiting at the home of Mrs. A. Caesber of North Charleroi Sunday.

MACBETH-EVANS STARTS AFTER BRIEF SHUTDOWN

Plant Closed all Last Week to Allow the Taking of Stock

After the usual summer stock taking shutdown of one week the Macbeth-Evans chimney factory started up last night for an anticipated steady run the rest of the year. The usual number of shops are in operation and there are about 1,500 men, women, boys and girls employed. The next shutdown will be in January for the purpose of taking stock. Under the superintendency of W. S. James, everything is progressing finely at the Macbeth-Evans plant. The factory was never in better shape, it is stated, and more ware is being turned out of the best grade.

MONESSEN EXPECTS TO GET ROAD TO RIVER

Promise Never Fulfilled by Steel Company to Give Ground

Monessen, after waiting for many years, expects to get a street opened through to the river, thus giving its merchants the benefit of this stream. Several years ago Monessen gave up its only oulet to the river to one of the steel companies, under a promise that another one would be given when desired, but this promise has never been fulfilled. Council has tried time after time to put such a measure through, only to meet with defeat, and as a consequence the merchants have been at the mercy of one railroad for transportation service, while an improved river with steamboat service could not be utilized.

M. Adams, superintendent of the local Douglas Business college, is home from a vacation spent at Atantic City.

BRIDGE COMPANY REFUSES TO QUIT COLLECTING TOLL

Fought Over Who Was Chief Boss

Question of Authority in Boarding House Causes Rumpus

Five arrests were made Saturday night for drunkeness and disorder. Two of the arrests were forigners who were fighting at Tenth street. Apparently the scrap was over who was the chief boss of a boarding house, and as to how far his authority would extend. The fighter was fined $1.00 and costs, and the other $2.00 and costs.

INQUEST TO BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY

Coroner J. T. Heffran Definitely Announces Date

INJURED ONES TO TESTIFY

Coroner James T. Heffran has definitely set the date of the inquest into the death of William H. Hamilton and son Roy who were killed in the automobile accident near Speers June 26, as Wednesday, July 13. The inquest will be held at the undertaking rooms of Correll and Crowley at Charleroi. The testimony of those injured in the accident, Mrs. Hamilton, and two daughters, Anna and Mary and Miss Blanche Matheney who are at the Monessen-Charleroi hospital, will be taken. The jury will make a trip to the hospital for that purpose.

BRIDGE A GREATER MENACE THAN EVER

Big Hindrance to Navigation at Brownsville Since Lock Was Constructed

Capt. Warren Elsey, manager of the river interests of the Jones and Laughlin Steel company, reported to the bridge committee of Harbor 25 that with the completion of the new dam and lock above Brownsville, the wooden bridge at that point has become more of a menace to navigation, owing to the short distance between the lock and bridge. With the stage above pool level it is claimed boats with tows have difficulty in avoiding the piers. Rivermen are preparing a supplementary protest against the further extension of time for raising the bridge, which will be filed with the United States engineers.

Church Debt $8,000

The debt of the Donora Methodist church is $8,000. Subscriptions to the amount of $531.66 have been raised since January 1 to apply on the indebtedness.

Contend They Have Not Been Notified of Decree

QUEER PHASE OF MATTERS

Belle Vernon Citizens in Uniontown Today to See What Can be Done

The approval of the courts in the matter of freeing the Belle Vernon bridge has had no visible effect thus far, in spite of the announcement that Saturday would be the last day on which toll would be collected on the bridge. The Belle Vernon Bridge company is still on the job, and at last reports today, were taxing users of the bridge in the usual fashion.

As a result of the company's refusal to vacate according to arrangements, two representatives of the Belle Vernon committees went to Uniontown today to see what could be done in the matter. The attorney of the citizens from both Fayette and Washington counties had informed them that the bridge was legally free as soon as the courts said so, and the committee of two from Belle Vernon were to confer with attorney T. P. Jones, attoray, to get his opinion on the matter.

The bridge company makes the claim that they have not been officially notified of the courts' decree, and contend that until they are, they would be responsible if the bridge should burn, or if any person should be injured on the structure.

The Belle Vernon and Speers committees could secure an injunction to restrain the company from taking toll or begin a mandamus proceeding to accoomplish the same object, but they desire if possible to maintain peace in the final arrangements.

CHARLEROI MAN WILL UMPIRE IN NEW YORK STATE

"Days" Lindsay Begins Work Today in High Class League

David C. Lindsay, of Charleroi, who has been umpiring in the Ohio and Pennsylvania league yesterday, went to Elmira, N. Y., where this morning he begins work as an umpire in the New York State league. In the Ohio and Pennsylvania, Lindsay was the only umpire who has served the entire season thus far. He was considered one of the most efficient handlers of the indicator and in the bigger league will no doubt make good. He finished last season in the New York State league.

Will Build Borough Building

The Donora council has appropriated the sum of $1,900 for the purchase of two lots as a site for a borough building. A contract will soon be let for the construction of the building.

Councilman Charles Schimeler is transacting business in Pittsburg today.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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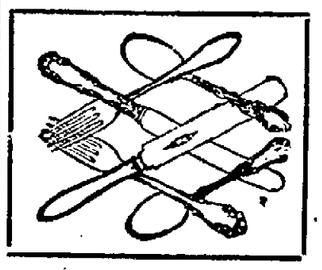

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July 11 In American History.

1767—John Quincy Adams, sixth president of the United States, born at Braintree, Mass.; died 1848.

1804—Alexander Hamilton killed in a duel by Aaron Burr; born 1757.

1884—Nomination at Chicago of Cleveland and Hendricks, which brought into power the first Democratic administration in twenty-four years.

1898—Bombardment of Santiago concluded; last gun of the campaign fired.

1909—Professor Simon Newcomb, noted astronomer, mathematician and traveler, died in Washington; born 1835.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 7:28, rises 4:35; moon sets 10:53 p. m.; 2 a. m., planet Neptune in conjunction with the sun, passing from east to west of that body.

What Congress Did

Winthrop C. Jones tally clerk of the House of Representatives has prepared a general summary showing the work done by the Sixty-first Congress including the extraordinary session which is and object lesson to the country an refutes as strongly as possible the oft repeated assertion that the Sixty-first Congress would turn out to be "a do-nothing Congress."

There were introduced 27,267 bills, 240 joint resolutions, 54 concurrent resolutions; and 848 simple resolutions the latter meaning resolutions of various sorts requiring only the acquescence of the body in which they originated. The various committees to whom this vast number of bills were assigned made 1,738 reports of which 614 were on public bills and 688 on private bills and resolutions. There were 266 adverse reports and 170 that did not reach the calendars. The House passed 993 bills of various kinds, sorts and conditions.

Altogether there were 324 public laws, which includes the omnibus bridge bill, omnibus dam bill, omnibus light house bill, omnibus Indian bill and omnibus claim bill. There were 170 private laws in which were included 6,104 private pension bills, which were included in 34 omnibus House pension bills containing 4,525 items and 22 Senate omnibus pension bills containing 1,616 items; 51 public resolutions and 2 private resolutions were signed. There were 443 public bills and 550 private bills and resolutions passed the House. There were 228 bills placed on the calendar for unanimous consent of which 5 remain on the calendar, 23 were objected to and retain their place on the Union and House calendars. Thirty-six motions were filed, under the new rule, to discharge committees from further consideration of various bills referred to committees and not reported.

Finally as an indication of how many times members were called upon to be present and answer to their names on a roll call it is stated by Tally Clerk Jones that there were 118 roll calls. At a most conservative estimate each roll call in the House of Representatives consumes at least 35 minutes, fully three days of twenty-four hours each or six working days of twelve hours each were consumed in calling the rolls.

Hot Weather

Trifling as it may appear, the time honored debating society topic, "Which causes the most discomfort to humanity, heat or cold?" would puzzzle a trio of thoughtful judges to make a correct decision. Leaving out the tropical countries, which are more densely populated that the friged regions of the extreme north, and applying the question to the temperate zone, where industrial activity and progress are greatest, the question is still harder to solve.

There is a general impression throughout that cold weather is productive of more discomfort than hot weather, but the mortuary statistics tell a different tale. During the present heated term as many as a dozen deaths directly due to heat have occurred in a single American city in a day, while that number of people frozen to death under similar conditons would probably not occur in the same city in a decade. A single case of a person freezing to death in the city of Pittsburg excites widespread comment and commiseration, yet it is nothing unusual to hear of several persons dying daily there from the effects of heat at the present time.

In spite of this discomfort, however, summer is the most joyous period of the year, and is universally hailed by humanity with gladness and appreciation. Under natural conditions, perhaps, no fatalities would occur, if people were so situated that they did not have to expose themselves to the fierce effects of the midsummer sun which is artificially intensified by modern industry. The same might also be said concerning the rigors of winter, where the most of the ills attributed to the weather are due to man's improvidence and neglect to conform to natural laws and conditions. Both seasons are productive of much discomfort, but it is within the providence of man to mitigate the most of the climatic effects that are now prejudicial to life and health.

Seasonable Advertising

Many a merchant fails to get satisfactory results from newspaper advertising because he advertises the wrong thing at the wrong time. A clothier, for example, with a surplus stock of clothing on hand keeps pushing men's suits when the majority of his patrons have already purchased a suit for the season and are not in the market for another at this time. What they need now is seasonable furnishings, the merits of which many men are totally ignorant. There never was a time when Panama hats were so extensively worn as at present, yet few hatters outside of the bald statement that they have such hats for sale, take the pains to educate the male public as to the merits of the Panama, its utility, its cheapness now as compared with the prices asked for it when that mode of headgear first came out. Probably nine out of every ten men wear long legged and long sleeved underwear in hot weather because they started in that way, and are not aware of the comfort and utility of the abbreviated garments of the present day. Man is more a creature of habit than woman, and it took him a hundred years to find out that he could derive great comfort in hot weather by discarding his vest.

It is not so with women. The dry goods merchant is more alive to the exigencies of his trade than are the caterers of men's wear. The newspapers teem with announcements of notions and novelties dear to the feminine heart at this particular season. Big department stores are devoting pages of advertising to toilet accessories, instead of trying to push the sale of heavy and staple dry goods. Trade is largely a matter of education, and most people can be made to believe they need seasonable things by simply telling them so and showing the merit of the articles offered for sale.

According to a Cincinnati woman osculation kills thousands. Thousands of what?

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Nowadays everything seems to be self-sustaining except life.

Being that they aren't fully aware of it already the Republican nominees for various State offices will be notified of their selection July 23.

The Wheeling Register wants to know why if the attire of puglists is considered indecent, the ball room gowns and bathing costumes are not viewed in the same light?

Strange to say the lynching at Newark was not the outcome of the fight at Reno.

Limberger cheese has nothing on the smell of some pipes we have seen.

The English walnut it is said is used in Mexico as a diet for the fighting bull, the object being to increase the bull's fighting capacities. If we had only thought of that before the Fourth.

It doesn't seem to be who can discover the North Pole so much as it does who can tell the biggest lie with the greatest possibility of having it believed.

The usual contingent at a picnic is our sisters, our cousins and the ants.

The puzzle is how can the ordinary couple get married, take a trip half away across the continent, come back home, and still have enough money to buy furniture and start housekeeping.

The woman who sees the same sort of a hat she paid $30 for at the beginning of the season marked down to $7.50 has a sickening feeling that she was too hasty in rushing the season.

One of the fictions of the day is the young lady whose shoe heels are not as high as those of the other girls.

THE IRISHMAN

By J. E. Hedges in Leslie's Weekly.

I know of no line of mental or other activity in which an Irishman has not mixed up. An Irishman does not participate; he mixes up. You can make certain that where he has been something has happened. And if it has not happened to him, it has happened to some one else. Indifference and an Irishman are not twin brothers.

I have never known of an Irishman who objected to how much somebody else had, if he had enough. I have never known of an Irishman, however much he had, who would not divide with a human being whom he loved and who had less than he had. The most characteristic things about an Irishman, and the things that mark him most in the community to which he goes or which he adopts, come in the plainer walks of life, when they speak and act with greater naturalness and cheerfulness, when they adopt other things that other people prescribe for them. I have known an Irishman to compromise upon conduct, but never upon his ideas.

An Irishman never gives the power of attorney. An Irishman is never diffident, because he is born with a degree of confidence in himself and his extraction which is clear, comprehensive and all-embracing. And I like an Irishman because he never surrenders his natural original endowments. You can make over physical objects, but you cannot make over human beings.

No Irishman ever stayed away from the polls. They do the best they can always, and always do something. I would rather try something and err than not have the nerve to make an effort. I would rather make a motion and lose it than to be one of a quorum that turned out to vote when somebody else tells you. I would rather follow the lead of a belligerent Irishman and get in trouble than to be afraid to go out of the confines of my on home lest I get hurt. And when I am laid away I want a record of not things done, but of things tried; and, with no thought of being irreverent, I would rather have written upon my tombstone, "He did the best he could," than "Nearer, my God, to Thee."

Special Excursion

The purchasers of each two picked lots in Carlsbad, Texas, will receive one free ticket to San Angelo and Carlsbad and return.

Special excursion leaves Tennessee Tuesday, July 19. Anyone can join this train at Little Rock, Ark. by leaving on same date.

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IT CAME TRUE.

The Large Party and the Calamity That Followed.

"You can't make me believe," Uncle Abner Jarvis was saying, "that there isn't something in fortune telling."

His auditors were grouped round the stove in the corner grocery store. "Ever have any experience with it?" asked one of them.

"That's what I was going to tell you," resumed Uncle Abner. "Once when I was at the county fair I saw a little tent with a sign on the outside of it that said Mme. Somebody-or-other would tell your fortune for 25 cents. I stepped inside just for fun.

"A woman with a thick veil over her face was sitting in a chair on a raised platform. I gave her a quarter, and she looked at my hand. One of the things she told me was that I was going to have a large party at my house in less than a month and that it would be followed by a calamity.

"I laughed at that. Thinks I to myself, 'We hain't had any parties of any kind to our house for two years, and I don't reckon we'll have one quite as soon as that.'

"But it did come true. In about two weeks my wife's Aunt Jane came to visit us, and if you think she ain't a large party you ought to see her. She weighs 287 pounds."

"But how about the calamity?" inquired the man who was sitting on the nail keg after a long pause.

"Well," said Uncle Abner slowly, "she broke down our spare bed the first night she slept in it."—Youth's Companion.

AMERICAN WANDERLUST.

A Habit Which Strengthens the Cohesive Unity of the Nation.

Less than half the members of the United States senate and house of representatives are native born in the states which they represent. Nothing could more clearly show the alert activities of the American people and that constant intermingling of the inhabitants of the several states which adds so much to the cohesive unity of the nation. The boy who goes to a distant state often accomplishes more than the one who goes straight on in the footprints of his father in the home village. Even Daniel Webster was not born in the old Bay State whose influence and dignity he so well sustained and whose people mourned him so sincerely when his great life closed.

This wandering from state to state has resulted in the organizing in New York city of many state societies which aim to gather together the natives of their respective states annually to revive the pleasant memories of the old home days, with their thousand clinging ties.

What would happen if the American people should cease to wander about the country? is a question often asked. It is said that an eastern man never amounts to anything until he goes west and that a western man has to come east in order to attain his full stature mentally. The northern man is advised to go south to learn gentle courtesy and chivalric bearing, the southerner to go north to add more iron to his blood. There can be no doubt that this constant evolution has encouraged the birth of new ideas, just as the whirling of the kinetoscope developed a toy into our present wonderful moving pictures, which gives us glimpses of life in motion all over the world.—Joe Mitchell Chapple in National Magazine.

A Beautiful Lake.

Perhaps the most striking instance to be seen in the whole world of the wonderful apparent coloring of bodies of water is the marvelously beautiful Blue lake in Switzerland. Encompassed on all sides by lofty mountains, their lower ranges luxuriantly clothed with verdure down to the edge of the water and adorned with many fine forest trees, while their higher acclivities are garbed in a mantle of eternal snow, the little lake, nestling in its deep hollow basin and protected from winds and storms, is quite startling in its singular and strange beauty. The water, although really pure and colorless, appears to be of a most vivid and intense sky blue. And its transparency is so remarkable that a small nickel coin dropped into the water in the center of the lake can be seen gyrating downward until it reaches the bottom, apparently more than a hundred feet beneath.

Straightening the Back.

It is the custom in certain parts of Scotland among the woman laborers in the field, when their backs begin to ache from bending low while working with short handled hoes, to lie down, their faces upon the ground, and allow others to step upon the lower part of their backs with one foot several times. This operation is known as "straightening the back."—Chicago News.

A Charitable World.

"Your money must be a burden to you at times."

"Yes," answered Mr. Dustin Stax, "but you'd be surprised to see how many I find who are willing to bear other people's burdens."—Washington Star.

A Hard Task.

"Do you think a woman could be a satisfactory juror?"

"No. She'd have to agree with eleven men, and she hasn't learned to agree with one yet."—Philadelphia Ledger.

In the ninth century they began to shoe horses, but, strange to say, only shod them at the time of frost. King William introduced horseshoeing into England, and six horseshoes are on the coat of arms of the man to whom King William gave vast estates for caring for his horses in this way.

SLIP FOR A BABY.

It Is In One Piece and Has Two Seams and Is Easily Made.

A charming slip for a baby that is in every sense of the word a "one piece frock" is made after an admirable pattern. The little garment is cut out from one piece of material, a round hole cut out for the neck and an opening down the back for four or five inches to allow the slip to go over the baby's head.

There are two seams, from the hem of the frock to the wrist of the sleeve, one on each side.

This pattern may be used for any material. A slip of finest white nainsook was made after this model. Around the neck was a narrow band of hand embroidery—a spray of forgetmenots and tiny leaves in fine white mercerized thread brierstitched to the frock. The sleeves were trimmed in the same manner at the wrist, and both neck and sleeves were finished with a frill of fine narrow lace.

A panel was outlined both back and front by a scroll design of forgetmenots and French knots running from the hem in front over the shoulders to the hem in back.

A three-inch hem brierstitched finished the slip, and it was fastened down the back with tiny pearl ball buttons.

A cap was made to be worn with this slip, and it was of fine white lawn embroidered all around the edge with a scroll of tiny forgetmenots, and the same blossoms were scattered all over the entire surface. The edge was scalloped and buttonholed and finished with a frill of lace gathered to the underside of the bonnet. This made a soft frame for the baby face.

A lining of thin forgetmenot blue silk and one of shell pink came with the bonnet and two sets of huge rosettes of soft satin ribbon, one of blue and one of shell pink. The rosettes were fastened to the bonnet over each ear, and a single piece of ribbon went under the chin and fastened under a rosette with a tiny gold safety pin.

When the blue rosettes were worn they brought out the blue of the baby's eyes, and the pink ones heightened the color of the soft little face.

A Shooting Gallery Secret.

"Do you see this glass ball?" said the shooting gallery man. It was a ball of hollow glass, an airy glass soap bubble, that had swung all season at the end of a thread in the foreground of the clay pipes, bells and what not that had made up the gallery's targets. "This glass ball," the man went on, "is my great money maker. All season long people tried to hit this ball—it was bigger and nearer than any other target—and everybody failed. Thousands of bullets were fired at the ball, thousands of nickels were spent on it, yet here it is, still untouched, my best breadwinner. All wise shooting gallery men have a glass ball like this. It makes such a tempting target, yet it is never hit. It is never hit because the air that precedes a gun charge is sufficient to blow the ball aside, out of the way. You might fire a hundred shots at it, but, like a living thing, like a timid soldier, for instance, it would dodge each shot."

Tips For Home Wedding.

The summer wedding is a dainty affair, as all rosetime happenings must be. And the bride and the bridegroom and most of all the bride's family must not forget that at this wedding, as at all weddings all the year round, showiness isn't—well, just isn't very nice. The wedding breakfast, for instance, may be a charming piece of gracious hospitality and happiness. But for persons of moderate means it is the worst possible taste to splurge in the usual way. An afternoon or morning wedding can be made as charming without extravagance as with it, while the little spread provided at home for the intimate few may, with taste, take on a special exquisiteness through its very reserve. Artificial light lending particular charm to gala effects, have the big table which is to hold the refreshments in the dining room so lighted. Candles fling a pretty glow, particularly if shaded with a faint pink, and it is not absolutely necessary for the trimmings of a bride's luncheon or tea table to be in white, though the general prejudice is for this.

If the table is gracefully decorated—candle shades, ribbons and flowers all in one tone—any little bite and sup is enough to show good feeling. A simple buffet bite or afternoon tea frequently follows a wedding instead of the usual more elaborate breakfast.

At this there may be a big bowl of fruit punch, sandwiches of several sorts, fancy cakes, ices and bonbons. For those who may not care for the punch bouillon, coffee, tea or chocolate may be offered. Have the spread of whatever dainties you choose, but remember that an invitation to the home calls for some sort of hospitality however slight.

The bride also cuts the wedding cake herself and sees that every guest has a portion.

To Iron Pongee.

When laundering any article made of pongee, iron it without first sprinkling it and you will find it looks far newer and silkier than when dampened and ironed in the usual manner.—Woman's Home Companion.

Hunted the Hunter.

"Is it really true," asked Miss Chellus, "that you're engaged to Mr. Richley?"

"It is," calmly replied Miss Bute.

"My," exclaimed Miss Chellus, "he was a great catch!"

"I beg your pardon," retorted the other haughtily; "catcher."—Catholic Standard and Times.

BELLS OF THE BASTILLE.

They Are Hung In a Little Rustic Building In Paris.

The bells of the Bastille are still in Paris in a little court in Avenue d'Eylau, where they are hung in a little rustic building. There is no doubt as to their authenticity. They carry in relief their story. "These three bells were made by Louis Cheron, founder to the court, for the royal Bastille in the year 1761." Fleurs-de-lis, crosses and sacred figures adorn the legend. The bells formerly were part of the clock installed by M. Sartine in 1764, in the archives de l'arsenal are all the documents relative to the work.

On July 14, 1789, the balls of the assailants stopped the clock of the Bastille at a quarter past 5 in the evening. Palloy, who demolished the prison, three days later received the order to deliver the clock to the commander of the Paris militia, who transported it no one knows whither. After the revolution the bells were found at the foundries of Rouilly-sur-Aindelle. In Eure, where, under the reign of terror, the church bells were converted into money. The proprietor of the foundry was interested in these relics and did not melt them. He installed the three bells in his works with the movement of the clock. By this time the dial plate had disappeared and the figures which belonged to it. Some years ago the bells were transferred from the Rouilly foundry to Paris, and there they have since remained.—London Globe.

Had an Answer.

This story is being told on a Swede in central Kansas who was given to excessive use of the bottle. He was working at a certain house, doing odd jobs, and the daughter of the house knew of his reprehensible habits. She thought it time for some one to remonstrate with him on the error of his ways.

"Why," she asked, "are you not ashamed to spend all your wages and make your wife take in washing? Why don't you give her some money?"

"Well," he answered, "I have an income besides my wages."

"Oh, is that so?" said the daughter, somewhat mollified.

"Yes," he said, "I have an income from the queen of Sweden."

"What for?" asked the girl.

"For minding my own business," answered the Swede, going on with his work.—Kansas City Journal.

The Troubles of a French Academician.

The candidate, once elected, is bound to pronounce a harangue before he is allowed to take part in the work of the noble body. The director who happens to be in office answers him. This oration is invariably, or at least should be, composed first of thanks, more or less humble, for the great honor conferred, then of a panegyric of the happy one's predecessor. And, oh, how difficult that sometimes must be! More than one has rushed to the encyclopedia, then to the libraries, so as to get some clear notion of the illustrious extinct! Then fate is often ironical. A historian may have to celebrate the talent of a writer of light comedies, a legitimist may have to praise a Socialist, or else the newly elected member may have to speak of his most intimate enemy.—Jeanne Mairet in Atlantic.

Mighty In Titles.

The ruler of Turkey, in addition to the titles sultan and kha-khan (high prince and lord of lords), also claims sovereignty over most districts, towns, cities and states in the orient, specifying each by name and setting out in each of his various titles "all the forts, citadels, purlieus and neighborhood thereof" in regular legal form. His official designation ends, "Sovereign also of diverse nations, states, peoples and races on the face of the earth." All this is in addition to his high position as "head of the faithful" and "supreme lord of all the followers of the prophet," "direct and only lieutenant on earth of Mohammed."

The Great Eastern.

The dimensions of the one time world famous Great Eastern were as follows: Length, 692 feet; width, 83 feet; depth, 60 feet; tonnage, 24,000 tons; draft when unloaded, 20 feet; when loaded, 30 feet. She had paddle wheels fifty-six feet in diameter and was also provided with a four bladed screw propeller of twenty-four feet diameter. She had accommodations for 800 first class, 2,000 second class and 1,200 third class passengers, 4,000 in all. Her speed was about eighteen miles an hour. The Great Eastern was finally broken up for old iron in the year 1889 after a checkered career of some thirty-one years.

The Don's Opinion.

Fashion is as inexorable in men's as in women's dress. The undergraduate is perhaps the most telling example of this. It was so even a century ago, when Oxford led the way in adopting the new nankeen trousers that were to supersede tight breeches and top boots. Just about that period a don of Trinity met an undergraduate arrayed in all the splendor of the new fashion. "Young man," said the don severely, "you will come to no good. You wear nankeen trousers and keep a dog." The young man afterward became Dr. Sumner and bishop of Winchester.—London Chronicle.

The Only Way to Know.

Catherine had asked so many questions, and father was growing impatient. Finally he said, "Oh, Catherine, I can't answer half your questions."

"I know you can't, father, but then I do not know which half you can't answer."—Delineator.

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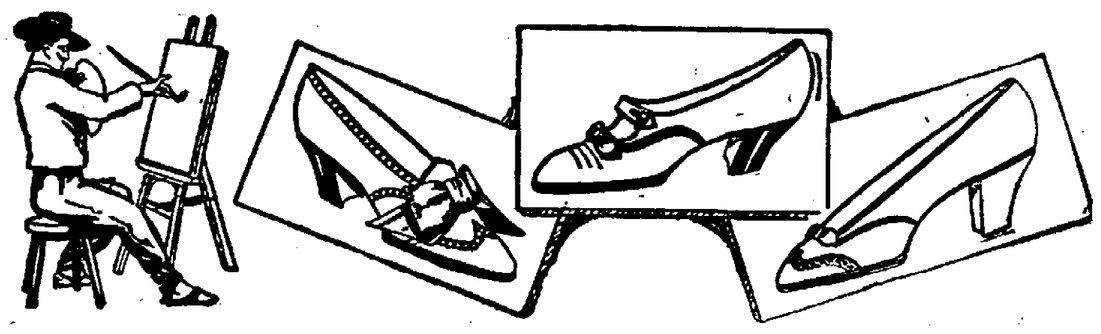

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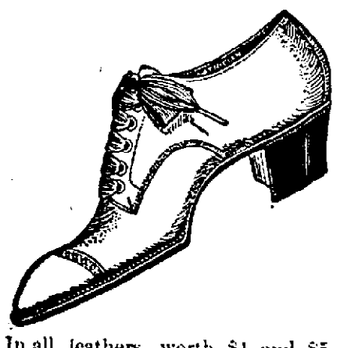

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A CONTINGENT ASSET.

The Court Didn't Appoint a Receiver to Administer It.

A woman's way of getting around trouble, especially her ability to answer a question without giving any information, is well known, particularly to the members of the bar that have had occasion to cross words with her on the stand. A woman with a well developed sense of humor once foiled the persistent attempt of W. G. Chapin, late editor of the American Lawyer, to elicit information in supplementary proceedings. He tells the story of the failure himself.

"I had been admitted to the bar but a short time and was a fair specimen of the average theory stuffed, practice wanting, law school graduate. How joyously were the commands of the managing clerk obeyed! Here was the looked for opportunity to demonstrate my ability in the noble art of searchingly examining a recalcitrant witness, a woman!

"Of the two, I fancy, however, that it was the lady who was more self possessed when the proceedings opened. She was a dressmaker and had been sued for debt by a dry goods firm. The examination dragged its slow length along, revealing no assets, until finally came the omnium gatherum query asked as a finisher.

"'Have you any property of any kind or nature, real or personal, or any right or interest in property that you have failed to mention?'

"'Perhaps it was my tone she disliked. At any rate, her eyes snapped. 'Well, I've got what perhaps you wouldn't call an interest, but it's almost as good. It's an expectation. Must I say more?'

"'If you please.' I was encouraged.

"'Well, you see, it's this way. I've got two sisters, and both of 'em have married finely. Now, neither one of them begins to be as good looking as I am.'

"'Yes.' She had me puzzled.

"'Well, I really don't see why I shouldn't have the same show.'

"It is needless to say that there was no receiver appointed to administer this 'asset.'"—Chicago Record-Herald.

A CONFIDING CONSTABLE

The Way He Helped the Housemaid Repel the Burglars.

A good story is told at the expense of a constable in rural England, says a writer in the London Telegraph.

Not long ago a young and pretty housemaid arrived at the big house of the neighborhood, and it was observed that our friend's beat often took him in that direction. At first she seemed to resent his advances, but suddenly she changed altogether, and the course of true love appeared to run smooth—for a time.

One night he called rather later than usual. It was dark, and his fair one greeted him somewhat coolly, he thought.

His doubts, however, disappeared when she suddenly declared that she would take him into her confidence. She had overheard the particulars of a plot to break into the house and steal the plate.

"Now, Jim," she said, "here's a chance for promotion. The burglars knew where the plate was kept, so we've shifted it. What I want you to do is to get into the plate cupboard and wait till they come and open the door. Then you'll have 'em."

Jim jumped at the chance and half an hour later was concealed in the cupboard. The burglars came, as expected, and promptly got to work.

The constable chuckled to himself as he heard the muffled whir of a tool on the outside of the cupboard door, and he grasped his staff and waited.

After some minutes' waiting he resolved to take a cautious peep. But the door was fast, securely screwed on the outside by the burglars.

When Jim eventually roused the house and was released from his prison the burglars and plate, together with the pretty housemaid (a confederate), had disappeared. Moreover, the constable's position took a good deal of explaining away.

His Walking Papers.

"My sister 'll be down in a minute,' said little Clarence, who was entertaining the young man in the parlor. "I heard her tellin' maw a little while ago that she was goin' to give you your written permission to perambulate tonight. What do you reckon she meant by that?"

"I think I know, Clarence," said the young man, reaching for his hat. "You may tell her, if you please, that I have decided not to wait for it."—Exchange.

Barring It Out.

Irate Parent — So you think my daughter loves you, sir, and you wish to marry her? Young Lover—That's what I called to see you about. And if you don't mind I thought I'd just ask first if there is any insanity in your family. Irate Parent—No, sir, and there's not going to be any.—London Express.

Ham With Jelly.

Melt in a saucepan a large tablespoonful of butter and half a glass of currant or other acid jelly. Shake in a little pepper and when hot lay in four or five small thin slices of boiled, cold ham. Let it boil up once and serve quickly on toast.—Boston Post.

Too Much.

Doctor—Now, there is a very simple remedy for this—er—this—er—recurring thirst. Whenever you feel you want a whisky and soda, just eat an apple—eat an apple. Patient—But—er—fancy eating fifty or sixty apples a day!—London Punch.

DIET FOR THE FAT.

Sugar and Starchy Foods to Be Avoided—Juicy Vegetables and Water.

It is popularly believed that all fat persons are gross feeders, but this is not true. Indeed, the reverse is often the case. Obesity may be a disease, or, rather, a prominent symptom of one, the trouble being with the internal chemistry of nutrition—a disease of metabolism, as it is called. It is comparable to diabetes—nearly related to it, in fact. In this disease sugar is formed in excess in the system even when very little is taken with the food, and so in obesity there is a tendency to the formation of fat in the body, even if little fat forming food is eaten. In most cases much can be done by a regulation of the diet.

The amount of meat should not be increased, but the quantity of sugar and starchy foods should be reduced, their place being taken by nonstarchy vegetables, such as spinach, cauliflower and salads. The foods to be avoided or taken in great moderation are those which contain much starch, such as rice and potatoes and all sweets—pies, puddings and candy. Tea and coffee should be taken without sugar if taken at all, and chocolate should be omitted entirely.

Bread is fattening, but for most persons it seems an indispensable article of diet. Its amount can, however, be limited, and it should be toasted.

Fats are less harmful than sugar and starch and may be allowed in moderation in the form of butter and salad oil.

The belief that the drinking of water makes fat is erroneous. If one eats juicy vegetables and especially the less sweet fruits, such as apples and grapefruit, and abandons the use of sugar, there will be a natural reduction in the amount of water taken, but one should drink all that is needed to quench thirst.

Pilkerton Won the Race.

At one of the regattas of the National Association of American Oarsmen during the early nineties James Pilkerton, for many years the champion sculler of America, was matched to row double against another team. He and his mate were the champions, and the general belief was that they would win without effort. But the night before the regatta public opinion suddenly and mysteriously changed. Mr. Pilkerton knew that this was not caused by any new development of strength in his opponent or any loss of skill on his own part. After making some quiet inquiries he discovered that there was talk of his rowing mate having been bought up by the other side and of an arrangement to throw the race.

He didn't say anything about his suspicions, but when the two men were seated in the shell and were well out into the deep water he leaned over to his mate and said:

"Look here, you blooming cutthroat! You've got to swim, drown or win this race! You know me!" He won.

Would Bequeath Her Ears.

Harriet Martineau displayed originality in the provisions she made at one time for the disposal of her remains. James Payn relates that, having consulted Toynbee, the distinguished aurist, with regard to her deafness, "she was so pleased with the interest he took in her case that she resolved to leave him by testamentary bequest her ears. She announced this intention in the presence of her medical man, Mr. Shepherd, who to my infinite amazement observed: 'But, my dear madam, you can't do that. It will make your other legacy worthless.' The fact was, in the interest of science, Miss Martineau had already left her head to the Phrenological society. I asked the doctor how he came to know that. 'Oh,' he said, 'she told me so herself. She has left £10 in her codicil to me for cutting it off.'" The doctor, however, died before his patient, and the Phrenological society never received the legacy of her head.—London Chronicle.

On the Cars of New York.

The surface cars of New York carry on each line as different a nationality as if each belonged to a different country. On the Eighth avenue line there are mostly colored people; on the Sixth avenue they are largely Americans, if there are any Americans in New York; on the Broadway cars there are stylishly dressed New Yorkers; on the Third avenue Irish and Jewish people predominate, on the Second avenue Jewish, Italian, Hungarian, Swedish and German, while on the surface cars that run along Avenue A you see every foreign nationality under the sun, all bareheaded.—New York Press.

Vain Regrets.

"That man Billin lacks courage and energy."

"Yes, confound him!"

"Why do you say that?"

"Because he was courting my wife long before I met her. If he had had a little more courage and energy— But what's the use of talking about it now?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Greatest Wealth.

Is there any compensation in money for a starved, stunted, dwarfed mind? Can lands and houses, stocks and bonds, pay a man for living a narrow, rutty, sordid life? How much money would match the wealth of a trained mind, of unfolded possibilities? Is the capacity for the appreciation of the meaning of life, of the lessons of civilization, worth no more than one's bread and butter and roof? Can any one conceive of greater possessions than an intellect well trained and disciplined, than a broad, deep, full orbed mind responsive to all beauty, all good?—Orison Swett Marden in Success Magazine.

Consul King David.

This amusing anecdote of Lamartine is related by the Baroness Bunsen in her volume of letters. Shortly after the revolution of February he wrote on the blank leaves of his pocketbook the names of his proteges and sent the list to be provided with places immediately. Previously, however, it seems, he had scribbled "David" on the page, and the head of the cabinet appointed the said David consul at Bremen. The postulant, however, never came forward, and, though the poet did not like being disturbed, M. Hetzel was obliged to ask who was the David on his list.

"He who danced before the ark," was the answer.

"Oh, dear! I have gazetted him to Bremen!"

"How very singular! I meant him for a subject for meditation, not for nomination. But you can cancel it."

The moniteur registered the change, but few knew that the last consul appointed to Bremen was King David!

A Cheerful Letter.

The following was sent by a countryman to his son in college not many years ago:

My Dear Son—I write to send you two pair of old breeches, that you may have a new coat made of them; also some new socks, which your mother knit by cutting down some of mine. Your mother sends you $10 without my knowledge, and for fear you will not spend it wisely I have kept back half and only send five. Your mother and I are well, except your sister Annie has got the measles, which we think would spread among other girls if Tom had not had them before, and he is the only one left. I hope you are well and will do honor to my teachings. If you do not you are an ass, and your mother and myself are your affectionate parents.

—Nantucket Inquirer and Mirror.

A Nice Bird.

"Do you like a nice bird?" asked the host as they sat down to the table.

"Oh, yes!" responded the guest immediately and enthusiastically.

"You ought to call on my sister," explained the other. "She's got one of the finest canaries you ever saw. Well, what kind of a sandwich do you think you can eat?"—London Telegraph.

Kissing the Book.

"Kissing the book" is a rather late development of the mere touching of the gospels with the fingers, which dates from the sixth century. It is likely that the kiss was originally intended not to increase the solemnity of the oath, but to signify reverence and affection for the book. The kiss appears to have come into fashion toward the end of the sixteenth century and would seem, from what George Fox says of it, to have been a Protestant innovation. According to him, the unreformed method was simply to hold the gospels with three fingers above the book, typifying the Trinity, and two fingers below, typifying the twofold destruction of body and soul that an oath taker invoked upon himself if he swore falsely.

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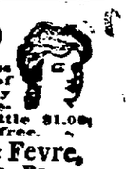

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LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Albright spent Saturday and Sunday in Waynesburg the guests of Miss Blanche Babbitt.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Schafer left yesterday for a two weeks' visit with relatives in Detroit, Mich., and to attend the Elks convention.

Miss Lula Buffle of North Charleroi left this morning for Carmichaels and other points in Jefferson county where she will visit relatives and friends for two weeks.

Miss Mary Gillingham has gone to Webster, where she will spend the greater part of her two week's vacation.

Miss Eunice Ramsey went to Masontown yesterday for a visit with friends and relatives.

Joseph Schoener, carrier on No. 1 mail route, began his vacation this morning. Van Carson is substituting for him.

Frank Jackman and Warren Trew enjoyed a visit at Beallsville Sunday.

Martin Simon of Scenery Hill was a caller in Charleroi Sunday.

Charles V. Anderson, a representative of the Exchange National Bank of Pittsburg was the guest of relatives in town over Sunday.

Mrs. Margaret Dawson and son Keith who have been guests of Mrs. Dawson's parents during the past week, returned to their home in Beallsville Sunday evening.

Cecil Riggs of Moundsville, W. Va., who has been visiting relatives here returned home yesterday. He was accompanied by his cousin, Ellsworth Riggs, who will visit in Moundsville a few weeks.

Bruce Barnett, the obliging ticket agent at the local P. R R. station, began his vacation this morning. He will take in several of the ball games at Pittsburg this week and go to New York next week.

Harry M. Smith spent Saturday night in Pittsburg.

Misses Ruth and Bernice Rice were over Sunday visitors in Brownsville with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Byerly and R. S. Moody and father made an automobile trip to Chalk Hill Saturday, to spend that day and Sunday.

Miss Mary Stritt of Tiffin, Ohio, after spending a week here with her brother, returned home this morning. Mrs. Joseph Stritt accompanied her as far as Pittsburg.

Mrs. J. H. Fields and daughter, Miss Rilla and Master Ralph are spending the day in Pittsburg.

The Smooth Way.

In the last generation Tyler Cobb, Esq., was a well known citizen of North Bridgewater, now Brockton, Mass. He was famous throughout Plymouth county for his witty retorts and dry humor.

Never having taken a sea trip, Mr. Cobb one day conceived the idea of making a voyage to New York. Accordingly he sailed from Boston in a small schooner. The first day out a storm was encountered and Mr. Cobb became violently sick, but after several hours he mustered up courage and strength to look out upon the troubled waters.

As he looked from the side of the little ship up the trough of the sea it seemed very smooth to him. The captain's cutting of the waves was senseless, he told himself. But as this mad steering continued the unhappy passenger finally crawled out on hands and knees to where the captain stood at the wheel and, raising his voice above the din of waves and wind, shouted:

"Man, man, keep in the ruts, keep in the ruts!"

Wasted Time.

Mrs. Newrich was growing accustomed to power. She enjoyed it and was irritated when any one presumed to differ from her in opinion. When the sailing party of which she had been a member landed on the shores of the lake rain soaked and frightened, Mrs. Newrich was the only one who cared to talk.

"It could all have been avoided if that captain had done as I told him," she said between the chattering of her teeth as the party stood huddled under a small shelter.

"When I saw that cloud coming from that corner of the lake I said to him, 'I think you'd better make straight for home and not spend any more time tacking,' but he paid no more attention than as if I hadn't spoken!"—Youth's Companion.

Good Reason.

"Well, Johnny, do you wish you were a grownup man?"

"You bet I do."

"But why?"

"So people wouldn't ask me such fool questions."—Exchange.

Muddled.

She—Of course I'm not as old as you think I am.

He—I hope not—I mean you can't be—that is—how old are you?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

ALLEGE TELEPHONE COMPANY OWES RENT

Levy Made Upon Property of National at Canonsburg

On account of default in the payment of rent for rooms in the George V. Harsha building at Canonsburg the switchboard, telephone, office, fixtures and other equipment of the National Telephone company at Canonsburg has been levied upon and sale bills posted about the premises and in the streets.

The National Telephone company is located in the First National bank building. Plans had been made to install a new system there, and the rooms in the Harsha building were secured last January. The company expected to move to the new quarters about March. After a failure to secure a franchise in South Canonsburg, the company dropped the plans for the new system and had remained in the bank building.

The South Canonsburg borough asks $1,000 for the franchise and the National company did not care to pay this sum. The rent not being paid for the Harsha rooms the owner brought suit against the telephone company, secured judgment and a levy was made on the property of the company at Canonsburg.

SHOOTING WHALES.

Modern Whalers Use a Cannon and an Explosive Harpoon.

Whaling with modern methods in Alaskan waters is an exciting game, especially for those who are new to the business. The modern whaling steamer is a little vessel almost round on the bottom, which enables it to be turned and managed with the greatest ease. Mounted at the bow is a small cannon that shoots a harpoon weighing more than 100 pounds and having an explosive head, called the bomb.

If the shot is good and the harpoon is planted squarely behind the fin, the bomb crashes into the lungs, killing instantly; if not, the struggle may last for several hours.

After a whale has been killed the carcass is brought alongside the boat and inflated so that it will float. A long coil of rubber hose, one end of which is attached to a pump and the other to a hollow spear pointed tube of steel, with perforations along its entire length, is used for this purpose.

The spear is thrust well down into the whale's side, the air pump started and the body slowly filled with air. When inflated enough to keep it afloat the tube is withdrawn, the incision plugged with oakum and the carcass cast off. A buoy with a flag is attached to the body, and it is then set adrift to be picked up at the end of the day's hunting.

The whaling station is a group of buildings situated in a bay or cove near enough to the feeding grounds to allow the steamer to come in each night with the day's catch. The whales are anchored at a buoy in front of a long, inclined platform, upon which they are drawn, tail first, by means of a steam winch.

The saying that every part of the pig but the squeal is now of market value is also a fact with the whale. Not a particle of the animal is wasted. After the skeleton is stripped of flesh it is disarticulated and the bones chopped in pieces.

The blubber is tried out for oil, and the meat and bones are boiled for the same purpose. Later the flesh is artificially dried and sifted, making a fine guano, and the bones are ground up for fertilizer. Even the blood is boiled and dried with the flesh, and the water in which the blubber has been tried out makes excellent glue. The fins and tail, after being sliced into thin strips, are salted and barreled and shipped to Japan as an article of food.—World's Work.

Classified Ads

WANTED—Laborers on new filtration plant. Apply at works. 273t53p

LOST—Watch charm F. O. Eagle emblem on Friday night. Finder return to 417 Mail office and receive reward. 275t3p

FOR SALE—Five shares Adena Mining company stock. Extremely low price. Address 421 Mail office. 275t6p

FOR SALE—Two shares Charleroi Telephone company stock. Will sell at a good price to quick buyer. Call at 417 Mail office. 275t6p

WANTED—A half grown girl at L. Collins, 218 Washington avenue. 275tf

Miss Nelle Pieper of Charleroi has been elected a teacher in the Brownsdale school of Forward township, Allegheny county.

WANTED—An experienced waitress. Wages $5.00 a week, room and boarding. Apply Fifth Avenue Hotel, Monessen, Pa. 271t6p

WANTED—At once 100 feather beds, highest cash price paid. Write L. E. Powell, general delivery, Charleroi. 270t6p

YOUR BACKACHE WILL YIELD

To Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Bloomdale, Ohio.—"I suffered from terrible headaches, pains in my back and right side, and was tired all the time and nervous. I could not sleep, and every month I could hardly stand the pain. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored me to health again and made me feel like a new woman. I hope this letter will induce other women to avail themselves of this valuable medicine."—Mrs. E. M. FREDERICK, Bloomdale, Ohio.

Backache is a symptom of female weakness or derangement. If you have backache don't neglect it. To get permanent relief you must reach the root of the trouble. Nothing we know of will do this so safely and surely as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Cure the cause of these distressing aches and pains and you will become well and strong.

The great volume of unsolicited testimony constantly pouring in proves conclusively that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has restored health to thousands of women.

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be absolutely confidential, and the advice free.

The Best Prophet of the Future Is the Past

For more than eleven years the Bank of Charleroi, Charleroi, Pa., has meant "best" and is pleased to place at the disposal of its customers the facilities gained during this period of continuous service and growth, confidentially believing it can meet every requirement of the most discriminative.

"Put not your trust in money, but put your money in trust."

We pay interest on savings accounts and certificates of deposit, and we open accounts of One Dollar and upwards.

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GREAT CLEARANCE SALE

NECESSITY knows no law. Our stock of Spring and Summer Footwear must be closed out immediately.

Summer is flying; the selling time for our present stock is short; and price is not the consideration.

The Shoes must be Sold

This is not a sale of shop worn, unsalable Shoes, but a regular, closing out of all our best shoes for men, women, boys, misses and children.

It's a sale that no one, who wears shoes, can afford to turn his back upon—an opportunity that does not confront you every day.

Here are a few of the price inducements.

$5.00 and $6.00 men's oxfords, now	$4.48
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3.50 women's and men's oxfords now	2.98
3.00 women's and men's oxfords now	2.48
2.50 women's and men's oxfords now	1.98
2.00 women's and misses' oxfords now	1.68
1.50 misses and children's oxfords now	1.24
2.50 boys oxfords now	1.98

This sale will not last long, and first buyers will have the best opportunity of finding their exact sizes in the best style.

Remember it's the Legitimate Big Shoe Store on McKean Avenue

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FOR GOOD SHOES
419 Mc KEAN AVE.

R&G CORSETS

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Effective Home Cure for Tuberculosis

It is a serious matter when the lungs are affected. A trip away or to a sanatorium is not only tremendously expensive, but it involves separation from home and friends. Some are benefited; but none can safely return to their homes.

Eckman's Alterative is effective in curing Bronchitis, Asthma and more serious affections of the lungs. No leaving home and friends is necessary. For instance:

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Gentlemen: In the Fall of 1905, I contracted a very severe cold which settled on my lungs. At last I began to raise sputum and my physician then told me I must go to California immediately. At this time I was advised to take Eckman's Alterative. I stayed at home and commenced taking it the last week in October. I began to improve, and the first week in January 1906, I resumed my regular occupation having gained 25 pounds, fully restored to health. It is now four years since my cure has been effected and I cannot praise Eckman's Alterative too highly. I have recommended it to others with excellent results.

(Signed) W. M. TATEM.

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LEADERS FOR CAMPAIGN APPOINTED BY CHAIRMAN

Republican County Committee Preparing for Fight

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Conferees Will be Named to Nominate Successor to Mr. Tener

Chairman J. Frank McClay of the Republican county committee announced the personnel of his executive committee Saturday. Much interest attaches to the appointments, in view of the fact that the committee will be called upon to select six conferees to help make a nomination for Congress in the district to fill the vacancy that will occur by reason of John K. Tener's nomination for Governor The committee and officers are as follows:

Officers—J. Frank McClay, chairman, Washington; O. M. Henderson, secretary, Washington; Geo. E. Lockhart, treasurer, Claysville R. D.

Assistant Secretaries—Joseph K. Weir, Washington; W. D. Hancher, Claysville.

Executive Committee—Charles F. Thompson, Charleroi; James Grimes, Claysville; James P. Eagleson, Washington, Canton; Theodore Straub, Canonsburg; David Glunt, Charleroi; T. C. Morrison, Donora; Henry Mesta, Finleyville; W. F. Kline, Independence township, Independence; F. A. Thomassey, McDonald; Albert Gregg, Monongahela; O. C. Underwood, Washington; Mark T. Wolf, Washington; Jos. T. Hemphill, Washington; I. W. Baum, Washington; Dr. T. F. Cashman, Washington.

ENGAGEMENT OF FORMER ROSCOE BOY ANNOUNCED

Rae Furlong, Annapolis Graduate, Will be Married in West

At a dinner given recently to the U. S. S. Maryland, at San Francisco, announcement was made of the engagement of Miss Cora Wainwright Glover of Tacoma and William Rea Furlong of Roscoe, this county, the wedding to take place in Tacoma this month. Mr. Furlong was graduated from Annapolis in 1905, representing the Twenty-fourth congressional district, and his bride to be has taught two years at Fairbanks, Alaska.

LUTHERANS WIN FROM THE ALL STARS

The Lutherans defeated the Charleroi All Stars Saturday afternoon at the baseball park, by a score of 7 to 6. The score:

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Lutherans	2 0 2 0 1 0 0 2 x	7	8	2
All Stars.	0 1 1 0 0 4 0 0 0	6	10	6

Batteries—Lutherans, Patrich and Mason; All Stars—Kearnes and McGuire. Umpire—Hott.

Lutherans Will Picnic Thursday

Sunday School Will Hold Annual Outing at Beechwood Park

The annual outing of the Sunday school of Christ Lutheran church will be held Thursday of this week at Beechwood park, and it is expected that weather permitting it will be one of the biggest affairs of the kind ever held by this body. No special program has been prepared for the day.

CHANDLER WILL COME IN AUGUST

Irving Brown in Charge of Plate Glass Factory Now

GOING TO CRYSTAL CITY

The local plant of the Pittsburg Plate Glass works is in charge of Irving Brown at the present time, previous to the arrival of the new superintendent. A. Hart Chandler, who will come from Crystal City, Mo., where he is now located some time in August. R. O. Stilwell, who was recently notified of his transfer from the Charleroi plant to the Crystal City factory, is now enjoying a vacation at Mackinac and will take charge at Crystal City in a few days.

Upon the arrival here of Mr. Chandler, Mr. Brown will leave for Crystal City, where he will be the assistant superintendent of that plant under Mr. Stillwell. He came here at the same time the later did from Tarentum, where they worked together.

F. McCann and F. T. Barclay Saturday afternoon before Judge Taylor plead guilty to the charge of entering a freight car, used as a freight house at Elrama, and carrying away some goods. The defendants were directed to pay the costs, a fine of $10 and undergo imprisonment in the county jail for 30 days.

DONORA ATHLETIC CLUB TO GIVE SECOND DANCE

The Donora Atletic Club has issued invitations for their second midsummer dance, to be given at Eldora Park on July 21. The committee in charge is composed of Thomas Whitledge, Frank Clark, Frank O'Donnell, C. Gallatin, E. S. Doutt, Ben G. Binns and L. C. Claybaugh, Jr.

Passed Sixth Milestone

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gaskill entertained a number of the young friends of their daughter Grace Saturday afternoon in honor of her sixth birthday. A pleasant time was spent by the young folks with games of a various nature. Refreshments were served.

FELL'S ANNIVERSARY SERVICES AT CLOSE

Nearly All Day Program Snnday at Webster Denomination in Celebration of 125 Years of History

With practically all-day services, the celebration of the 125th anniversary of Fell's Methodist Episcopal church in Rostraver township near Webster, Westmoreland county, closed Sunday. The anniversary exercises began last Thursday evening with preaching by the Rev. Judson Jeffreys of Wilmerding, a former pastor. On Friday and Saturday evenings former pastors spoke.

Of special interest was the program today which included a sermon in the morning by Bishop David H. Moore of Cincinnati, followed by several hours of social intercourse, with dinners at long tables specially erected. A platform meeting was held at 2:30 o'clock that afternoon, with addresses by former pastors and a history of the congregation by the Rev. Dr. Benjamin Fell Beazell, pastor of the Lemington Avenue church of Pittsburg. At the closing meeting in the evening a sermon was preached by the Rev. Dr. John L. Wallace, editor of the Pittsburg Christian Advocate.

Hundreds living within a radius of 25 miles arrived at the old churchs in the morning bringing basket luncheon an spent the day. The arrangements for the anniversary celebration were in charge of the present pastor, the Rev. Daniel M. Paul.

RETIRED RIVERMAN DIES SUDDENLY AT HIS HOME NEAR WEST ELIZABETH

Isaac Pangburn Succumbs to Illness of Twelve Days Duration---Was Well Known Along the Valley

Isaac G. Pangburn, 46 years old, and one of the best known retired steamboat men along the valley, died at his home in Jefferson near West Elizabeth Sunday morning at 12:30 o'clock, after a brief illness of pleuro-pneumonia. He had been ill but 12 days and death came most unexpectedly. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock from the late residence and interment will be in Richland cemetery at Dravosburg.

Besides the widow, four children survive, Samuel a steamboat engineer, Miss Blanche a nurse in the Mercy hospital at Pittsburg, George and Anna at home. The father, Samuel Pangburn, who resides at Webster, two sisters, Mrs. Flora Davidson of Third street, Charleroi, and Mrs. Walter Speers of Webster survive, and one brother, Walter Pangburn of North Charleroi.

The deceased was formerly employed as a steamboat engineer, but retired seven years ago, when he became a real estate dealer. The blow comes as an especially hard one to the father, who is 81 years old. This is the first one of his sons or daughters to die.

BROTHER OF LOCAL MAN DIES AT HOME SUDDENLY SUNDAY

J. G. Whitlatch, Well Known Here, Succumbs to Hemorrhage

J. G. Whitlatch, 62 years old, a brother of J. M. Whitlatch of Charleroi, died very suddenly at his home in Verona, yesterday afternoon from a hemorrhage with which he was seized shortly after dinner. The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon and interment will be in Oakmont cemetery.

Mr. Whitlatch had seemingly been in the best of health the entire day, and had eaten a healthy dinner, having as guests Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Whitlatch, and daughter Dorothy of Charleroi and Mrs. A. B. Cummings, who has been visiting there. After the meal the company gathered in the parlor for some music, and then retired to the front porch. After chatting some time reminiscently, Mr. Whitlatch remarked that he would go up stairs to lie down a moment. He started for his room being accompanied by his wife, but when about half way up was seized with the hemorrhage. Mrs. Whitlatch placed him on a couch and summoned a physician, but almost before he could arrive the man was dead, dying in the arms of his nephew, D. C. Whitlatch.

He is survived by his widow, and the following brothers and sisters, J. C., New England, W. Va. William P., Verona; J. M., Charleroi and M. C. Whitlatch, Moundsville, W. Va., and Mrs. Mollie Magee, Glenville, W. Va., and Mrs. Anna Shepler of Pittsburg. Miss Orma Whitlatch a niece who lived with the family also survives. The deceased had two weeks ago been retired on a pension from the tool shops at Verona of the Allegheny Railroad company by whom he had been employed for many years. He was the oldest employe of the company at that time.

Mrs. N. Anderson of Monongahela was visiting at the home of Mrs. A. Caesber of North Charleroi Sunday.

MACBETH-EVANS STARTS AFTER BRIEF SHUTDOWN

Plant Closed all Last Week to Allow the Taking of Stock

After the usual summer stock taking shutdown of one week the Macbeth-Evans chimney factory started up last night for an anticipated steady run the rest of the year. The usual number of shops are in operation and there are about 1,500 men, women, boys and girls employed. The next shutdown will be in January for the purpose of taking stock. Under the superintendency of W. S. James, everything is progressing finely at the Macbeth-Evans plant. The factory was never in better shape, it is stated, and more ware is being turned out of the best grade.

MONESSEN EXPECTS TO GET ROAD TO RIVER

Promise Never Fulfilled by Steel Company to Give Ground

Monessen, after waiting for many years, expects to get a street opened through to the river, thus giving its merchants the benefit of this stream. Several years ago Monessen gave up its only oulet to the river to one of the steel companies, under a promise that another one would be given when desired, but this promise has never been fulfilled. Council has tried time after time to put such a measure through, only to meet with defeat, and as a consequence the merchants have been at the mercy of one railroad for transportation service, while an improved river with steamboat service could not be utilized.

M. Adams, superintendent of the local Douglas Business college, is home from a vacation spent at Atlantic City.

BRIDGE COMPANY REFUSES TO QUIT COLLECTING TOLL

Fought Over Who Was Chief Boss

Question of Authority in Boarding House Causes Rumpus

Five arrests were made Saturday night for drunkeness and disorder. Two of the arrests were forigners who were fighting at Tenth street. Apparently the scrap was over who was the chief boss of a boarding house, and as to how far his authority would extend. The fighter was fined $1.00 and costs, and the other $2.00 and costs.

INQUEST TO BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY

Coroner J. T. Heffran Definitely Announces Date

INJURED ONES TO TESTIFY

Coroner James T. Heffran has definitely set the date of the inquest into the death of William H. Hamilton and son Roy who were killed in the automobile accident near Speers June 26, as Wednesday, July 13. The inquest will be held at the undertaking rooms of Correll and Crowley at Charleroi. The testimony of those injured in the accident, Mrs. Hamilton, and two daughters, Anna and Mary and Miss Blanche Matheney who are at the Monessen-Charleroi hospital, will be taken. The jury will make a trip to the hospital for that purpose.

BRIDGE A GREATER MENACE THAN EVER

Big Hindrance to Navigation at Brownsville Since Lock Was Constructed

Capt. Warren Elsey, manager of the river interests of the Jones and Laughlin Steel company, reported to the bridge committee of Harbor 25 that with the completion of the new dam and lock above Brownsville, the wooden bridge at that point has become more of a menace to navigation, owing to the short distance between the lock and bridge. With the stage above pool level it is claimed boats with tows have difficulty in avoiding the piers. Rivermen are preparing a supplementary protest against the further extension of time for raising the bridge, which will be filed with the United States engineers.

Church Debt $8,000

The debt of the Donora Methodist church is $8,000. Subscriptions to the amount of $531.66 have been raised since January 1 to apply on the indebtedness.

BRIDGE COMPANY REFUSES TO QUIT COLLECTING TOLL

Contend They Have Not Been Notified of Decree

QUEER PHASE OF MATTERS

Belle Vernon Citizens in Uniontown Today to See What Can be Done

The approval of the courts in the matter of freeing the Belle Vernon bridge has had no visible effect thus far, in spite of the announcement that Saturday would be the last day on which toll would be collected on the bridge. The Belle Vernon Bridge company is still on the job, and at last reports today, were taxing users of the bridge in the usual fashion.

As a result of the company's refusal to vacate according to arrangements, two representatives of the Belle Vernon committees went to Uniontown today to see what could be done in the matter. The attorney of the citizens from both Fayette and Washington counties had informed them that the bridge was legally free as soon as the courts said so, and the committee of two from Belle Vernon were to confer with attorney T. P. Jones, attoray, to get his opinion on the matter.

The bridge company makes the claim that they have not been officially notified of the courts' decree, and contend that until they are, they would be responsible if the bridge should burn, or if any person should be injured on the structure.

The Belle Vernon and Speers committees could secure an injunction to restrain the company from taking toll or begin a mandamus proceeding to accoomplish the same object, but they desire if possible to maintain peace in the final arrangements.

CHARLEROI MAN WILL UMPIRE IN NEW YORK STATE

"Days" Lindsay Begins Work Today in High Class League

David C. Lindsay, of Charleroi, who has been umpiring in the Ohio and Pennsylvania league yesterday, went to Elmira, N. Y., where this morning he begins work as an umpire in the New York State league. In the Ohio and Pennsylvania, Lindsay was the only umpire who has served the entire season thus far. He was considered one of the most efficient handlers of the indicator and in the bigger league will no doubt make good. He finished last season in the New York State league.

Will Build Borough Building

The Donora council has appropriated the sum of $1,900 for the purchase of two lots as a site for a borough building. A contract will soon be let for the construction of the building.

Councilman Charles Schimeler is transacting business in Pittsburg today.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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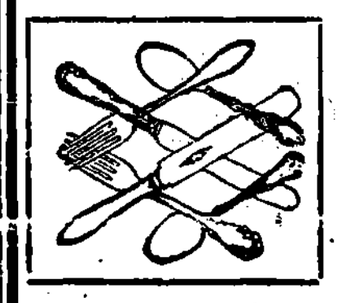

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July 11 In American History.

1767—John Quincy Adams, sixth president of the United States, born at Braintree, Mass.; died 1848.

1804—Alexander Hamilton killed in a duel by Aaron Burr; born 1757.

1884—Nomination at Chicago of Cleveland and Hendricks, which brought into power the first Democratic administration in twenty-four years.

1898—Bombardment of Santiago concluded; last gun of the campaign fired.

1909—Professor Simon Newcomb, noted astronomer, mathematician and traveler, died in Washington; born 1835.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 7:28, rises 4:35; moon sets 10:53 p. m.; 2 a. m., planet Neptune in conjunction with the sun, passing from east to west of that body.

What Congress Did

Winthrop C. Jones tally clerk of the House of Representatives has prepared a general summary showing the work done by the Sixty-first Congress including the extraordinary session which is and object lesson to the country an refutes as strongly as possible the oft repeated assertion that the Sixty-first Congress would turn out to be "a do-nothing Congress."

There were introduced 27,267 bills, 240 joint resolutions, 54 concurrent resolutions; and 848 simple resolutions the latter meaning resolutions of various sorts requiring only the acquiescence of the body in which they originated. The various committees to whom this vast number of bills were assigned made 1,733 reports of which 614 were on public bills and 588 on private bills and resolutions. There were 266 adverse reports and 170 that did not reach the calendars. The House passed 998 bills of various kinds, sorts and conditions.

Altogether there were 324 public laws, which includes the omnibus bridge bill, omnibus dam bill, omnibus light house bill, omnibus Indian bill and omnibus claim bill. There were 170 private laws in which were included 6,104 private pension bills, which were included in 34 omnibus House pension bills containing 4,524 items and 22 Senate omnibus pension bills containing 1,616 items; 51 public resolutions and 2 private resolutions were signed. There were 443 public bills and 550 private bills and resolutions passed the House. There were 228 bills placed on the calendar for unanimous consent of which 5 remain on the calendar, 23 were objected to and retain their place on the Union and House calendars. Thirty-six motions were filed, under the new rule, to discharge committees from further consideration of various bills referred to committees and not reported.

Finally as an indication of how many times members were called upon to be present and answer to their names on a roll call it is stated by Tally Clerk Jones that there were 118 roll calls. At a most conservative estimate each roll call in the House of Representatives consumes at least 35 minutes, fully three days of twenty-four hours each or six working days of twelve hours each were consumed in calling the rolls.

Hot Weather

Trifling as it may appear, the time honored debating society topic, "Which causes the most discomfort to humanity, heat or cold?" would puzzzle a trio of thoughtful judges to make a correct decision. Leaving out the tropical countries, which are more densely populated that the friged regions of the extreme north, and applying the question to the temperate zone, where industrial activity and progress are greatest, the question is still harder to solve.

There is a general impression throughout that cold weather is productive of more discomfort than hot weather, but the mortuary statistics tell a different tale. During the present heated term as many as a dozen deaths directly due to heat have occurred in a single American city in a day, while that number of people frozen to death under similar conditions would probably not occur in the same city in a decade. A single case of a person freezing to death in the city of Pittsburg excites widespread comment and commiseration, yet it is nothing unusual to hear of several persons dying daily there from the effects of heat at the present time.

In spite of this discomfort, however, summer is the most joyous period of the year, and is universally hailed by humanity with gladness and appreciation. Under natural conditions, perhaps, no fatalities would occur, if people were so situated that they did not have to expose themselves to the fierce effects of the midsummer sun which is artificially intensified by modern industry. The same might also be said concerning the rigors of winter, where the most of the ills attributed to the weather are due to man's improvidence and neglect to conform to natural laws and conditions. Both seasons are productive of much discomfort, but it is within the providence of man to mitigate the most of the climatic effects that are now prejudicial to life and health.

Seasonable Advertising

Many a merchant fails to get satisfactory results from newspaper advertising because he advertises the wrong thing at the wrong time. A clothier, for example, with a surplus stock of clothing on hand keeps pushing men's suits when the majority of his patrons have already purchased a suit for the season and are not in the market for another at this time. What they need now is seasonable furnishings, the merits of which many men are totally ignorant. There never was a time when Panama hats were so extensively worn as at present, yet few hatters outside of the bald statement that they have such hats for sale, take the pains to educate the male public as to the merits of the Panama, its utility, its cheapness now as compared with the prices asked for it when that mode of headgear first came out. Probably nine out of every ten men wear long legged and long sleeved underwear in hot weather because they started in that way, and are not aware of the comfort and utility of the abbreviated garments of the present day. Man is more a creature of habit than woman, and it took him a hundred years to find out that he could derive great comfort in hot weather by discarding his vest.

It is not so with women. The dry goods merchant is more alive to the exigencies of his trade than are the caterers of men's wear. The newspapers teem with announcements of notions and novelties dear to the feminine heart at this particular season. Big department stores are devoting pages of advertising to toilet accessories, instead of trying to push the sale of heavy and staple dry goods. Trade is largely a matter of education, and most people can be made to believe they need seasonable things by simply telling them so and showing the merit of the articles offered for sale.

According to a Cincinnati woman osculation kills thousands. Thousands of what?

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Nowadays everything seems to be self-restraining except life.

Being that they aren't fully aware of it already the Republican nominees for various State offices will be notified of their selection July 23.

The Wheeling Register wants to know why if the attire of puglists is considered indecent, the ball room gowns and bathing costumes are not viewed in the same light?

Strange to say the lynching at Newark was not the outcome of the fight at Reno.

Limberger cheese has nothing on the smell of some pipes we have seen.

The English wainut it is said is used in Mexico as a diet for the fighting bull, the object being to increase the bull's fighting capacities. If we had only thought of that before the Fourth.

It doesn't seem to be who can discover the North Pole so much as it does who can tell the biggest lie with the greatest possibility of having it believed.

The usual contingent at a picnic is our sisters, our cousins and the ants.

The puzzle is how can the ordinary couple get married, take a trip half away across the continent, come back home, and still have enough money to buy furniture and start housekeeping.

The woman who sees the same sort of a hat she paid $30 for at the beginning of the season marked down to $7.50 has a sickening feeling that she was too hasty in rushing the season.

One of the fictions of the day is the young lady whose shoe heels are not as high as those of the other girls.

THE IRISHMAN

By J. E. Hedges in Leslie's Weekly.

I know of no line of mental or other activity in which an Irishman has not mixed up. An Irishman does not participate; he mixes up. You can make certain that where he has been something has happened. And if it has not happened to him, it has happened to some one else. Indifference and an Irishman are not twin brothers.

I have never known of an Irishman who objected to how much somebody else had, if he had enough. I have never known of an Irishman, however much he had, who would not divide with a human being whom he loved and who had less than he had. The most characteristic things about an Irishman, and the things that mark him most in the community to which he goes or which he adopts, come in the plainer walks of life, when they speak and act with greater naturalness and cheerfulness, when they adopt other things that other people prescribe for them. I have known an Irishman to compromise upon conduct, but never upon his ideas.

An Irishman never gives the power of attorney. An Irishman is never diffident, because he is born with a degree of confidence in himself and his extraction which is clear, comprehensive and all-embracing. And I like an Irishman because he never surrenders his natural original endowments. You can make over physical objects, but you cannot make over human beings.

No Irishman ever stayed away from the polls. They do the best they can always, and always do something. I would rather try something and err than not have the nerve to make an effort. I would rather make a motion and lose it than to be one of a quorum that turned out to vote when somebody else tells you. I would rather follow the lead of a belligerent Irishman and get in trouble than to be afraid to go out of the confines of my own home lest I get hurt. And when I am laid away I want a record of not things done, but of things tried; and, with no thought of being irreverent, I would rather have written upon my tombstone, "He did the best he could," than "Nearer, my God, to Thee."

Special Excursion

The purchasers of each two picked lots in Carlsbad, Texas, will receive one free ticket to San Angelo and Carlsbad and return.

Special excursion leaves Tennessee Tuesday, July 19. —Anyone can join this train at Little Rock, Ark. by leaving on same date.

H. F. Parsons,
502 Fallowfield avenue,
Charleroi, Pa.

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IT CAME TRUE.

The Large Party and the Calamity That Followed.

"You can't make me believe," Uncle Abner Jarvis was saying, "that there isn't something in fortune telling."

His auditors were grouped round the stove in the corner grocery store. "Ever have any experience with it?" asked one of them.

"That's what I was going to tell you," resumed Uncle Abner. "Once when I was at the county fair I saw a little tent with a sign on the outside of it that said Mme. Somebody-or-other would tell your fortune for 25 cents. I stepped inside just for fun.

"A woman with a thick veil over her face was sitting in a chair on a raised platform. I gave her a quarter, and she looked at my hand. One of the things she told me was that I was going to have a large party at my house in less than a month and that it would be followed by a calamity.

"I laughed at that. Thinks I to myself, 'We hain't had any parties of any kind to our house for two years, and I don't reckon we'll have one quite as soon as that.'

"But it did come true. In about two weeks my wife's Aunt Jane came to visit us, and if you think she ain't a large party you ought to see her. She weighs 287 pounds."

"But how about the calamity?" inquired the man who was sitting on the nail keg after a long pause.

"Well," said Uncle Abner slowly, "she broke down our spare bed the first night she slept in it."—Youth's Companion.

AMERICAN WANDERLUST.

A Habit Which Strengthens the Cohesive Unity of the Nation.

Less than half the members of the United States senate and house of representatives are native born in the states which they represent. Nothing could more clearly show the alert activities of the American people and that constant intermingling of the inhabitants of the several states which adds so much to the cohesive unity of the nation. The boy who goes to a distant state often accomplishes more than the one who goes straight on in the footprints of his father in the home village. Even Daniel Webster was not born in the old Bay State whose influence and dignity he so well sustained and whose people mourned him so sincerely when his great life closed.

This wandering from state to state has resulted in the organizing in New York city of many state societies which aim to gather together the natives of their respective states annually to revive the pleasant memories of the old home days, with their thousand clinging ties.

What would happen if the American people should cease to wander about the country? Is a question often asked. It is said that an eastern man never amounts to anything until he goes west and that a western man has to come east in order to attain his full stature mentally. The northern man is advised to go south to learn gentle courtesy and chivalric bearing, the southerner to go north to add more iron to his blood. There can be no doubt that this constant evolution has encouraged the birth of new ideas, just as the whirling of the kinetoscope developed a toy into our present wonderful moving pictures, which gives us glimpses of life in motion all over the world.—Joe Mitchell Chapple in National Magazine.

A Beautiful Lake.

Perhaps the most striking instance to be seen in the whole world of the wonderful apparent coloring of bodies of water is the marvelously beautiful Blue lake in Switzerland. Encompassed on all sides by lofty mountains, their lower ranges luxuriantly clothed with verdure down to the edge of the water and adorned with many fine forest trees, while their higher acclivities are garbed in a mantle of eternal snow, the little lake, nestling in its deep hollow basin and protected from winds and storms, is quite startling in its singular and strange beauty. The water, although really pure and colorless, appears to be of a most vivid and intense sky blue. And its transparency is so remarkable that a small nickel coin dropped into the water in the center of the lake can be seen gyrating downward until it reaches the bottom, apparently more than a hundred feet beneath.

Straightening the Back.

It is the custom in certain parts of Scotland among the woman laborers in the field, when their backs begin to ache from bending low while working with short handled hoes, to lie down, their faces upon the ground, and allow others to step upon the lower part of their backs with one foot several times. This operation is known as "straightening the back."—Chicago News.

A Charitable World.

"Your money must be a burden to you at times."

"Yes," answered Mr. Dustin Stax, "but you'd be surprised to see how many I find who are willing to bear other people's burdens."—Washington Star.

A Hard Task.

"Do you think a woman could be a satisfactory juror?"

"No. She'd have to agree with eleven men, and she hasn't learned to agree with one yet."—Philadelphia Ledger.

In the ninth century they began to shoe horses, but, strange to say, only shod them in time of frost. King William introduced horseshoeing into England, and six horseshoes are on the coat of arms of the man to whom King William gave vast estates for caring for his horses in this way.

SLIP FOR A BABY.

It Is in One Piece and Has Two Seams and Is Easily Made.

A charming slip for a baby that is in every sense of the word a "one piece frock" is made after an admirable pattern. The little garment is cut out from one piece of material, a round hole cut out for the neck and an opening down the back for four or five inches to allow the slip to go over the baby's head.

There are two seams, from the hem of the frock to the wrist of the sleeve, one on each side.

This pattern may be used for any material. A slip of finest white nainsook was made after this model. Around the neck was a narrow band of hand embroidery—a spray of forgetmenots and tiny leaves in fine white mercerized thread—brierstitched to the frock. The sleeves were trimmed in the same manner at the wrist, and both neck and sleeves were finished with a frill of fine narrow lace.

A panel was outlined both back and front by a scroll design of forgetmenots and French knots running from the hem in front over the shoulders to the hem in back.

A three-inch hem brierstitched finished the slip and it was fastened down the back with tiny pearl ball buttons.

A cap was made to be worn with this slip, and it was of fine white lawn embroidered all around the edge with a scroll of tiny forgetmenots, and the same blossoms were scattered all over the entire surface. The edge was scalloped and buttonholed and finished with a frill of lace gathered to the underside of the bonnet. This made a soft frame for the baby face.

A lining of thin forgetmenot blue silk and one of shell pink came with the bonnet and two sets of huge rosettes of soft satin ribbon, one of blue and one of shell pink. The rosettes were fastened to the bonnet over each ear, and a single piece of ribbon went under the chin and fastened under a rosette with a tiny gold safety pin.

When the blue rosettes were worn they brought out the blue of the baby's eyes, and the pink ones heightened the color of the soft little face.

A Shooting Gallery Secret.

"Do you see this glass ball?" said the shooting gallery man. It was a ball of hollow glass, an airy glass soap bubble, that had swung all season at the end of a thread in the foreground of the clay pipes, bells and what not that had made up the gallery's targets. "This glass ball," the man went on, "is my great money maker. All season long people tried to hit this ball—it was bigger and nearer than any other target—and everybody failed. Thousands of bullets were fired at the ball, thousands of nickels were spent on it, yet here it is, still untouched, my best breadwinner. All wise shooting gallery men have a glass ball like this. It makes such a tempting target, yet it is never hit. It is never hit because the air that precedes a gun charge is sufficient to blow the ball aside, out of the way. You might fire a hundred shots at it, but, like a living thing, like a timid soldier, for instance, it would dodge each shot."

Tips For Home Wedding.

The summer wedding is a dainty affair, as all rosetime happenings must be. And the bride and the bridegroom and most of all the bride's family must not forget that at this wedding as at all weddings all the year round showiness isn't—well, just isn't very nice. The wedding breakfast, for instance, may be a charming piece of gracious hospitality and happiness. But for persons of moderate means it is the worst possible taste to splurge in the usual way. An afternoon or morning wedding can be made as charming without extravagance as with it, while the little spread provided at home for the intimate few may, with taste, take on a special exquisiteness through its very reserve. Artificial light lending particular charm to gala effects, have the big table which is to hold the refreshments in the dining room so lighted. Candles fling a pretty glow, particularly if shaded with a faint pink, and it is not absolutely necessary for the trimmings of a bride's luncheon or tea table to be in white, though the general prejudice is for this.

If the table is gracefully decorated—candle shades, ribbons and flowers all in one tone—any little bite and sup is enough to show good feeling. A simple buffet bite or afternoon tea frequently follows a wedding instead of the usual more elaborate breakfast.

At this there may be a big bowl of fruit punch, sandwiches of several sorts, fancy cakes, ices and bonbons. For those who may not care for the punch bouillon, coffee, tea or chocolate may be offered. Have the spread of whatever dainties you choose, but remember that an invitation to the home calls for some sort of hospitality however slight.

The bride also cuts the wedding cake herself and sees that every guest has a portion.

To Iron Pongee.

When laundering any article made of pongee, iron it without first sprinkling it and you will find it looks far newer and silkier than when dampened and ironed in the usual manner.—Woman's Home Companion.

Hunted the Hunter.

"Is it really true," asked Miss Chellus, "that you're engaged to Mr. Richley?"

"It is," calmly replied Miss Bute.

"My," exclaimed Miss Chellus, "he was a great catch!"

"I beg your pardon," retorted the other haughtily; "catcher."—Catholic Standard and Times.

BELLS OF THE BASTILLE.

They Are Hung in a Little Rustic Building in Paris.

The bells of the Bastille are still in Paris in a little court in Avenue d'Eylau, where they are hung in a little rustic building. There is no doubt as to their authenticity. They carry in relief their story. "These three bells were made by Louis Cheron, founder to the court, for the royal Bastille in the year 1761." Fleurs-de-lis, crosses and sacred figures adorn the legend. The bells formerly were part of the clock installed by M. Sartine in 1764. In the archives de l'arsenal are all the documents relative to the work.

On July 14, 1789, the balls of the assailants stopped the clock of the Bastille at a quarter past 5 in the evening. Palloy, who demolished the prison, three days later received the order to deliver the clock to the commander of the Paris militia, who transported it no one knows whither. After the revolution the bells were found at the foundries of Rouilly-sur-Andelle, in Eure, where, under the reign of terror, the church bells were converted into money. The proprietor of the foundry was interested in these relics and did not melt them. He installed the three bells in his works with the movement of the clock. By this time the dial plate had disappeared and the figures which belonged to it. Some years ago the bells were transferred from the Rouilly foundry to Paris, and there they have since remained.—London Globe.

Had an Answer.

This story is being told on a Swede in central Kansas who was given to excessive use of the bottle. He was working at a certain house, doing odd jobs, and the daughter of the house knew of his reprehensible habits. She thought it time for some one to remonstrate with him on the error of his ways.

"Why," she asked, "are you not ashamed to spend all your wages and make your wife take in washing? Why don't you give her some money?"

"Well," he answered, "I have an income besides my wages."

"Oh, is that so?" said the daughter, somewhat mollified.

"Yes," he said, "I have an income from the queen of Sweden."

"What for?" asked the girl.

"For minding my own business," answered the Swede, going on with his work.—Kansas City Journal.

The Troubles of a French Academician.

The candidate, once elected, is bound to pronounce a harangue before he is allowed to take part in the work of the noble body. The director who happens to be in office answers him. This oration is invariably, or at least should be, composed first of thanks, more or less humble, for the great honor conferred, then of a panegyric of the happy one's predecessor. And, oh, how difficult that sometimes must be! More than one has rushed to the encyclopedia, then to the libraries, so as to get some clear notion of the illustrious eximmortal! Then fate is often ironical. A historian may have to celebrate the talent of a writer of light comedies, a legitimist may have to praise a Socialist, or else the newly elected member may have to speak of his most intimate enemy.—Jeanne Mairet in Atlantic.

Mighty In Titles.

The ruler of Turkey, in addition to the titles sultan and kha-khan (high prince and lord of lords), also claims sovereignty over most districts, towns, cities and states in the orient, specifying each by name and setting out in each of his various titles "all the forts, citadels, purlieus and neighborhood thereof" in regular legal form. His official designation ends, "Sovereign also of diverse nations, states, peoples and races on the face of the earth." All this is in addition to his high position as "head of the faithful" and "supreme lord of all the followers of the prophet" "direct and only lieutenant on earth of Mohammed."

The Great Eastern.

The dimensions of the one time world famous Great Eastern were as follows: Length, 692 feet; width, 83 feet; depth, 60 feet; tonnage, 24,000 tons; draft when unloaded, 20 feet; when loaded, 30 feet. She had paddle wheels fifty-six feet in diameter and was also provided with a four bladed screw propeller of twenty-four feet diameter. She had accommodations for 800 first class, 2,000 second class and 1,200 third class passengers, 4,000 in all. Her speed was about eighteen miles an hour. The Great Eastern was finally broken up for old iron in the year 1889 after a checkered career of some thirty-one years.

The Don's Opinion.

Fashion is as inexorable in men's as in women's dress. The undergraduate is perhaps the most telling example of this. It was so even a century ago, when Oxford led the way in adopting the new nankeen trousers that were to supersede tight breeches and top boots. Just about that period a don of Trinity met an undergraduate arrayed in all the splendor of the new fashion. "Young man," said the don severely, "you will come to no good. You wear nankeen trousers and keep a dog." The young man afterward became Dr. Sumner and bishop of Winchester.—London Chronicle.

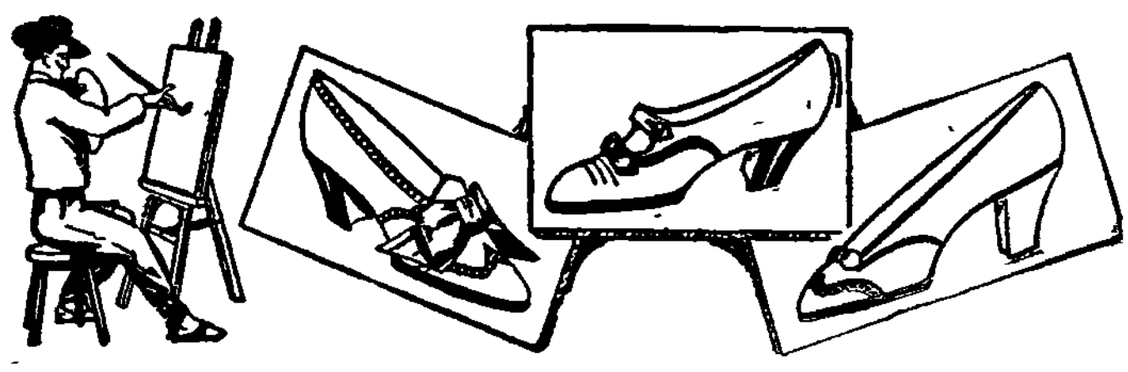
The Only Way to Know.

Catherine had asked so many questions, and father was growing impatient. Finally he said, "Oh, Catherine, I can't answer half your questions."

"I know you can't, father, but then I do not know which half you can't answer."—Delineator.

SPECIAL
July Clearance SALE
at 502 Fallowfield Avenue, Charleroi, Pa.

WOMEN'S SHOES - WOMEN'S OXFORDS $1.69 A PAIR



Ladies, Don't Fail to Read This!

Bought the stock of a New York department store who are closing out their shoe department. "Move them quickly, the price cuts no figure. were the orders we received, moved them quick. As a result we now have a surplus stock. It's a case of more goods than room On Saturday we are going to see how quickly YOU can move them As a special inducement we are going to offer women's shoes, oxfords, pumps and ankle ties at less than half. All leathers and all sizes. Think, the daintiest, jauntiest styles that sell for $3 and $4 elsewhere, will be on sale here tomorrow at the very special price of .... **$1.69 A PR**

Fourteen Big Saturday Specials

300 pairs of women's odd and end oxfords, worth $1 50 to $3 00. Open front price.

98c

350 pairs of women's rubber heel Juliets, worth $1.25 Open front price

69c

400 pairs misses' and children's Ankle Strap Pumps patent, dull, tan and suede leathers worth $1 50 Open front price

98c

W. L. Douglas Shoes for Men $1.95

Here is something that the men will never miss—200 pairs of the famous W L Douglas Shoes to be sold Saturday for less than half price Every pair worth $3 50 and $4 00 All sizes for all feet Every pair has maker's name stamped on the sole Better come early as they will not last long at the special price of $1 95

Men's Shoes and Oxfords $2.45

In all leathers worth $4 and $5 A dressy shoe for the dressy man. All styles and all sizes Extra special price $2 45

Misses' and Children's Sandals 98c

A lot of misses' and children's strap sandals, patent kid and gun metal leathers, worth $1 50, open front price 98c

A special lot of women's and misses' shoes and oxfords, patent and vici kid leathers, worth $1.50 and $2.00, open front price

98c

Two hundred pairs of men's patent colt shoes, blucher style, made by Craddock, Tarry Co., worth $3.50, open front price

$1.98

500 pairs of boys' calfskin shoes, black, tan or wine color, worth $1.75. Open front price

98c

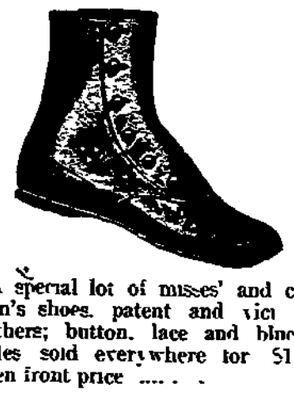
700 pairs infants' Roman sandals, black, tan and red leathers, worth 75c, open front price

49c

Women's Dress Shoes $2 45

Extra special for the woman who is determined to dress better than her neighbor Regular $4 00 and $5 00 values in tan patent suede and dull leathers All the very latest Eastern styles in lace, button and blucher. The nifty Cuban heel and short vamp give this shoe a style and individuality that is hard to beat Very special Saturday at $2 45

Misses' and Children's Shoes 98c



A special lot of misses' and children's shoes, patent and vici kid leathers; button, lace and blucher styles sold everywhere for $1 50 Open front price 98c

Boys' Fine Dress Shoes $1.50

250 pairs of patent, gunmetal and box calf shoes sizes 2½ to 5½, worth $2 and $2.50, open front price... $1.50

Adolph, of Course

Watch for our Name and Number. Stores: Charleroi, Monessen, Braddock.

A CONTINGENT ASSET.

The Court Didn't Appoint a Receiver to Administer It

A woman's way of getting around trouble, especially her ability to answer a question without giving any information, is well known, particularly to the members of the bar that have had occasion to cross words with her on the stand A woman with a well developed sense of humor once foiled the persistent attempt of W G Chapin, late editor of the American Lawyer to elicit information in supplementary proceedings He tells the story of the failure himself

'I had been admitted to the bar but a short time and was a fair specimen of the average theory stuffed, practice wanting, law school graduate How joyously were the commands of the managing clerk obeyed! Here was the looked for opportunity to demonstrate my ability in the noble art of searchingly examining a recalcitrant witness a woman'

"Of the two I fancy however that it was the lady who was more self possessed when the proceedings opened She was a dressmaker and had been sued for debt by a dry goods firm The examination dragged its [illegible] until [illegible] the customary catchall query asked as a finisher

"'Have you any property of any kind or [illegible] real or personal, or any right or interest in property that you have failed to mention?'

'Perhaps it was my tone she disliked At any rate her eyes snapped 'Well I've got what perhaps you wouldn't call an interest, but it's almost [illegible] Its [illegible] Must I [illegible]'

"'If you please' I was encouraged

"'Well you see it's this way I've got two sisters and both of 'em have married once Now, number one of them begins to be as good looking as I am'

"'Yes' She had me puzzled

"'Well I really don't see why I shouldn't have the same show'

"It is needless to say that there was no receiver appointed to administer this 'asset'"—Chicago Record Herald

A CONFIDING CONSTABLE

The Way He Helped the Housemaid Repel the Burglars

A good story is told at the expense of a constable in rural England, says a writer in the London Telegraph

Not long ago a young and pretty housemaid arrived at the big house of the neighborhood, and it was observed that our friend's beat often took him in that direction At first she seemed to resent his advances, but suddenly she changed altogether, and the course of true love appeared to run smooth—for a time

One night he called rather later than usual It was dark, and his fair one greeted him somewhat coolly, he thought.

His doubts, however disappeared when she suddenly declared that she would take him into her confidence She had overheard the particulars of a plot to break into the house and steal the plate.

"Now, Jim" she said, 'here's a chance for promotion. The burglars knew where the plate was kept, so we've shifted it What I want you to do is to get into the plate cupboard and wait till they come and open the door. Then you'll have 'em"

Jim jumped at the chance and half an hour later was concealed in the cupboard The burglars came, as expected, and promptly got to work

The constable chuckled to himself as he heard the muffled whir of a tool on the outside of the cupboard door, and he grasped his staff and waited

After some minutes' waiting he resolved to take a cautious peep But the door was fast, securely screwed on the outside by the burglars.

When Jim eventually roused the house and was released from his prison the burglars and plate, together with the pretty housemaid (a confederate), had disappeared Moreover, the constable's position took a good deal of explaining away.

His Walking Papers.

"My sister 'll be down in a minute,' said little Clarence, who was entertaining the young man in the parlor 'I heard her tellin' maw a little while ago that she was goin' to give you your written permission to perambulate tonight. What do you reckon she meant by that?"

"I think I know, Clarence," said the young man, reaching for his hat. "You may tell her, if you please, that I have decided not to wait for it."—Exchange

Barring It Out.

Irate Parent — So you think my daughter loves you, sir, and you wish to marry her? Young Lover—That's what I called to see you about. And if you don't mind I thought I'd just ask first if there is any insanity in your family Irate Parent—No, sir, and there's not going to be any.—London Express.

Ham With Jelly.

Melt in a saucepan a large tablespoonful of butter and half a glass of currant or other acid jelly. Shake in a little pepper and when hot lay in four or five small thin slices of boiled cold ham. Let it boil up once and serve quickly on toast.—Boston Post.

Too Much.

Doctor—Now, there is a very simple remedy for this—er—this—er—recurring thirst. Whenever you feel you want a whisky and soda, just eat an apple—eat an apple. Patient—But—er—fancy eating fifty or sixty apples a day!—London Punch.

DIET FOR THE FAT.

Sugar and Starchy Foods to Be Avoided—Juicy Vegetables and Water.

It is popularly believed that all fat persons are gross feeders, but this is not true Indeed the reverse is often the case Obesity may be a disease, or, rather, a prominent symptom of one, the trouble being with the internal chemistry of nutrition—a disease of metabolism, as it is called It is comparable to diabetes—nearly related to it, in fact In this disease sugar is formed in excess in the system even when very little is taken with the food and so in obesity there is a tendency to the formation of fat in the body, even if little fat forming food is eaten In most cases much can be done by a regulation of the diet

The amount of meat should not be increased but the quantity of sugar and starchy foods should be reduced their place being taken by nonstarchy vegetables such as spinach, cauliflower and salads The foods to be avoided or taken in great moderation are those which contain much starch such as rice and potatoes and all sweets—pies puddings and candy Tea and coffee should be taken without sugar if taken at all and chocolate should be omitted entirely

Bread is fattening but for most persons it seems an indispensable article of diet Its amount can however, be limited and it should be toasted

Fats are less harmful than sugar and starch and may be allowed in moderation in the form of butter and salad oil

The belief that the drinking of water makes fat is erroneous If one eats juicy vegetables and especially the less sweet fruits such as apples and grapefruit, and abandons the use of sugar, there will be a natural reduction in the amount of water taken, but one should drink all that is needed to quench thirst

Pilkerton Won the Race.

At one of the regattas of the National Association of American Oarsmen during the early nineties James Pilkerton, for many years the champion sculler of America was matched to row double against another team He and his mate were the champions, and the general belief was that they would win without effort But the night before the regatta public opinion suddenly and mysteriously changed Mr Pilkerton knew that this was not caused by any new development of strength in his opponent or any loss of skill on his own part After making some quiet inquiries he discovered that there was talk of his rowing mate having been bought up by the other side and of an arrangement to throw the race

He didn't say anything about his suspicions, but when the two men were seated in the shell and were well out into the deep water he leaned over to his mate and said:

"Look here, you blooming cutthroat! You've got to swim, drown or win this race! You know me!" He won.

Would Bequeath Her Ears.

Harriet Martineau displayed originality in the provisions she made at one time for the disposal of her remains James Payn relates that, having consulted Toynbee, the distinguished aurist, with regard to her deafness, "she was so pleased with the interest he took in her case that she resolved to leave him by testamentary bequest her ears She announced this intention in the presence of her medical man, Mr. Shepherd, who to my infinite amazement observed 'But, my dear madam, you can't do that It will make your other legacy worth less.' The fact was, in the interest of science, Miss Martineau had already left her head to the Phrenological society I asked the doctor how he came to know that 'Oh,' he said, 'she told me so herself. She has left £10 in her codicil to me for cutting it off.'" The doctor however, died before his patient, and the Phrenological society never received the legacy of her head—London Chronicle

On the Cars of New York.

The surface cars of New York carry on each line as different a nationality as if each belonged to a different country. On the Eighth avenue line there are mostly colored people, on the Sixth avenue they are largely Americans, if there are any Americans in New York; on the Broadway cars there are stylishly dressed New Yorkers, on the Third avenue Irish and Jewish people predominate, on the Second avenue Jewish, Italian, Hungarian, Swedish and German, while on the surface cars that run along Avenue A you see every foreign nationality under the sun, all bareheaded.—New York Press

Vain Regrets.

"That man Biffin lacks courage and energy."

"Yes, confound him!"

"Why do you say that?"

"Because he was courting my wife long before I met her If he had had a little more courage and energy— But what's the use of talking about it now?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Greatest Wealth.

Is there any compensation in money for a starved, stunted, dwarfed mind? Can lands and houses, stocks and bonds, pay a man for living a narrow, rutty, sordid life? How much money would match the wealth of a trained mind, of unfolded possibilities? Is the capacity for the appreciation of the meaning of life, of the lessons of civilization, worth no more than one's bread and butter and roof? Can any one conceive of greater possessions than an intellect well trained and disciplined, than a broad, deep, full orbed mind responsive to all beauty, all good?—Orison Swett Marden in Success Magazine.

Consul King David.

This amusing anecdote of Lamartine is related by the Baroness Bonde in her volume of letters Shortly after the revolution of February he wrote on the blank leaves of his pocketbook the names of his proteges and sent the list to be provided with places immediately. Previously, however, it seems, he had scribbled "David" on the page and the head of the cabinet appointed the said David consul at Bremen The postulant, however, never came forward, and, though the poet did not like being disturbed, M Hetzel was obliged to ask who was the David on his list.

"He who danced before the ark," was the answer.

"Oh, dear! I have gazetted him to Bremen'"

"How very singular! I meant him for a subject for meditation, not for nomination But you can cancel it."

The moniteur registered the change, but few knew that the last consul appointed to Bremen was King David!

A Cheerful Letter.

The following was sent by a countryman to his son in college not many years ago.

My Dear Son—I write to send you two pair of old breeches, that you may have a new coat made of them; also some new socks, which your mother knit by cutting down some of mine Your mother sends you $10 without my knowledge, and for fear you will not spend it wisely I have kept back half and only send five Your mother and I are well except your sister Annie has got the measles which we think would spread among other girls if Tom had not had 'em before, and he is the only one left I hope you are well and will do honor to my teachings. If you do not you are an ass, and your mother and myself are your affectionate parents.

—Nantucket Inquirer and Mirror.

A Nice Bird.

"Do you like a nice bird?" asked the host as they sat down to the table.

"Oh, yes'" responded the guest immediately and enthusiastically

"You ought to call on my sister," explained the other "She's got one of the finest canaries you ever saw Well, what kind of a sandwich do you think you can eat?"—London Telegraph.

Kissing the Book.

"Kissing the book" is a rather late development of the mere touching of the gospels with the fingers, which dates from the sixth century. It is likely that the kiss was originally intended not to increase the solemnity of the oath, but to signify reverence and affection for the book. The kiss appears to have come into fashion toward the end of the sixteenth century and would seem, from what George Fox says of it, to have been a Protestant innovation. According to him, the unreformed method was simply to hold the gospels with three fingers above the book, typifying the Trinity, and two fingers below, typifying the twofold destruction of body and soul that an oath taker invoked upon himself if he swore falsely.

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Notice of Application For Charter.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made by J W Shidler, S G Fulton and Charles Wonsettler to the Governor of Pennsylvania on the 10th day of August, 1910, under the Act of Assembly approved April 29, 1874, P. L 73, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations", and its supplements, for a charter for a proposed corporation to be called "Midland and Scenery Hill Telephone Company", the character and object of which is the construction, maintaining and operation of telephone and telegraph lines, buying and leasing the same, for the private use of individuals, firms corporations; the operation of telephone exchanges and the furnishing of facilities for communication by means of the transmission of electricity over or through wires, and doing a general telephone and telegraph business by such mean; and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and supplements thereto.

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They are so pretty that they will please just as much as they did us when we unpacked them. You'll marvel at the values. Come when the line is complete.

Still running that Special Sale on Ladies' White Dresses. Better see these before they are all gone. If the time was ever right it is here and now.

Charleroi Church Baseball League

STANDING OF CLUBS:

	W	L	PCT.
Catholics	6	3	667
Episcopals	6	3	667
Christians	6	4	600
Lutherans	5	4	556
Methodists	4	4	500
W. A. Presbyterians	4	5	444
Baptists	3	7	300
First Presbyterians	3	7	300

GAMES THIS WEEK:

Monday
Lutherans vs Episcopals
Tuesday
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Wednesday
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LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Albright spent Saturday and Sunday in Waynesburg the guests of Miss Blanche Babbitt.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Schafer left yesterday for a two weeks' visit with relatives in Detroit, Mich., and to attend the Elks convention.

Miss Lula Buffie of North Charleroi left this morning for Carmichaels and other points in Jefferson county where she will visit relatives and friends for two weeks.

Miss Mary Gillingham has gone to Webster, where she will spend the greater part of her two week's vacation.

Miss Eunice Ramsey went to Masontown yesterday for a visit with friends and relatives.

Joseph Schoener, carrier on No. 1 mail route, began his vacation this morning. Van Carson is substituting for him.

Frank Jackman and Warren Trew enjoyed a visit at Beallsville Sunday.

Martin Simon of Scenery Hill was a caller in Charleroi Sunday.

Charles V. Anderson, a representative of the Exchange National Bank of Pittsburg was the guest of relatives in town over Sunday.

Mrs. Margaret Dawson and son Keith who have been guests of Mrs. Dawson's parents during the past week, returned to their home in Beallsville Sunday evening.

Cecil Riggs of Moundsville, W. Va., who has been visiting relatives here returned home yesterday. He was accompanied by his cousin, Ellsworth Riggs, who will visit in Moundsville a few weeks.

Bruce Barnett, the obliging ticket agent at the local P. R R. station, began his vacation this morning. He will take in several of the ball games at Pittsburg this week and go to New York next week.

Harry M. Smith spent Saturday night in Pittsburg.

Misses Ruth and Bernice Rice were over Sunday visitors in Brownsville with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Byerly and R. S. Moody and father made an automobile trip to Chalk Hill Saturday, to spend that day and Sunday.

Miss Mary Stritt of Tiffin, Ohio, after spending a week here with her brother, returned home this morning. Mrs. Joseph Stritt accompanied her as far as Pittsburg.

Mrs. J. H. Fields and daughter, Miss Rilla and Master Ralph are spending the day in Pittsburg.

The Smooth Way.

In the last generation Tyler Cobb, Esq., was a well known citizen of North Bridgewater, now Brockton, Mass. He was famous throughout Plymouth county for his witty retorts and dry humor.

Never having taken a sea trip, Mr. Cobb one day conceived the idea of making a voyage to New York. Accordingly he sailed from Boston in a small schooner. The first day out a storm was encountered and Mr. Cobb became violently sick, but after several hours he mustered up courage and strength to look out upon the troubled waters.

As he looked from the side of the little ship up the trough of the sea it seemed very smooth to him. The captain's cutting of the waves was senseless, he told himself. But as this mad steering continued the unhappy passenger finally crawled out on hands and knees to where the captain stood at the wheel and, raising his voice above the din of waves and wind, shouted:

"Man, man, keep in the ruts, keep in the ruts!"

Wasted Time.

Mrs. Newrich was growing accustomed to power. She enjoyed it and was irritated when any one presumed to differ from her in opinion. When the sailing party of which she had been a member landed on the shores of the lake rain soaked and frightened, Mrs. Newrich was the only one who cared to talk.

"It could all have been avoided if that captain had done as I told him," she said between the chattering of her teeth as the party stood huddled under a small shelter.

"When I saw that cloud coming from that corner of the lake I said to him, 'I think you'd better make straight for home and not spend any more time tacking,' but he paid no more attention than as if I hadn't spoken!"—Youth's Companion.

Good Reason.

"Well, Johnny, do you wish you were a grownup man?"

"You bet I do."

"But why?"

"So people wouldn't ask me such fool questions."—Exchange.

Muddled.

She—Of course I'm not as old as you think I am.

He—I hope not—I mean you can't be—that is—how old are you?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

ALLEGE TELEPHONE COMPANY OWES RENT

Levy Made Upon Property of National at Canonsburg

On account of default in the payment of rent for rooms in the George V. Harsha building at Cononsburg the switchboard, telephone, office, fixtures and other equipment of the National Telephone company at Canonsburg has been levied upon and sale bills posted about the premises and in the streets.

The National Telephone company is located in the First National bank building. Plans had been made to install a new system there, and the rooms in the Harsha building were secured last January. The company expected to move to the new quarters about March. After a failure to secure a franchise in South Canonsburg, the company dropped the plans for the new system and had remained in the bank building.

The South Canonsburg borough asks $1,000 for the franchise and the National company did not care to pay this sum. The rent not being paid for the Harsha rooms the owner brought suit against the telephone company, secured judgment and a levy was made on the property of the company at Canonsburg.

SHOOTING WHALES.

Modern Whalers Use a Cannon and an Explosive Harpoon.

Whaling with modern methods in Alaskan waters is an exciting game, especially for those who are new to the business. The modern whaling steamer is a little vessel almost round on the bottom, which enables it to be turned and managed with the greatest ease. Mounted at the bow is a small cannon that shoots a harpoon weighing more than 100 pounds and having an explosive head, called the bomb.

If the shot is good and the harpoon is planted squarely behind the fin, the bomb crashes into the lungs, killing instantly; if not, the struggle may last for several hours.

After a whale has been killed the carcass is brought alongside the boat and inflated so that it will float. A long coil of rubber hose, one end of which is attached to a pump and the other to a hollow spear pointed tube of steel, with perforations along its entire length, is used for this purpose.

The spear is thrust well down into the whale's side, the air pump started and the body slowly filled with air. When inflated enough to keep it afloat the tube is withdrawn, the incision plugged with oakum and the carcass cast off. A buoy with a flag is attached to the body, and it is then set adrift to be picked up at the end of the day's hunting.

The whaling station is a group of buildings situated in a bay or cove near enough to the feeding grounds to allow the steamer to come in each night with the day's catch. The whales are anchored at a buoy in front of a long, inclined platform, upon which they are drawn, tail first, by means of a steam winch.

The saying that every part of the pig but the squeal is now of market value is also a fact with the whale. Not a particle of the animal is wasted. After the skeleton is stripped of flesh it is disarticulated and the bones chopped in pieces.

The blubber is tried out for oil, and the meat and bones are boiled for the same purpose. Later the flesh is artificially dried and sifted, making a fine guano, and the bones are ground up for fertilizer. Even the blood is boiled and dried with the flesh, and the water in which the blubber has been tried out makes excellent glue. The fins and tail, after being sliced into thin strips, are salted and barreled and shipped to Japan as an article of food.—World's Work.

YOUR BACKACHE WILL YIELD

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Backache is a symptom of female weakness or derangement. If you have backache don't neglect it. To get permanent relief you must reach the root of the trouble. Nothing we know of will do this so safely and surely as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Cure the cause of these distressing aches and pains and you will become well and strong.

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3.00 women's and men's oxfords now	2.48
2.50 women's and men's oxfords now	1.98
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